

Oracle

1938



A. A. Fulton.





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To the memory of Harris Mason Dolbeare, who was Wakefield's foremost citizen, a truly great and good man, the Class of Nineteen Thirty-eight dedicates this book.



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Foreword

The editors of the Oracle hope that this volume will serve as a pleasant reminder of high school days. They have endeavored to make the work representative of the class as a whole, with short accounts of the various school activities, and with samples of creative writing done by the students. It is particularly opportune at this time to express our sincere appreciation to Miss Bernice L. Caswell, head of the English Department, without whose generous assistance this book could not have been a success.

JOHN BARRY, Editor-in-Chief

"Try, Trust, Triumph"

Ambition is said to be one of the most important factors that help one attain success. The education that we have received at Wakefield High School has prepared us for many of the higher ideals of life, for education has innumerable outlets. However, the degree of success that one reaches in life is due to his determination to succeed.

One of the most famous inscriptions throughout the world is "In God We Trust." Certainly if the universe has recognized this statement, we, the future citizens of America, should have sincere faith in our fellow men. This spirit would produce a spirit of co-operation. Without co-operation it is almost impossible to found a successful business or establish a congenial social group. Co-operation is a degree of trust that one has in his fellow men.

The words of the motto are arranged in a logical order. As we go on our way in the future, if we keep the class motto in mind, we are sure to feel some amount of triumph.

Margaret Costello, '38

The Way In

We are all like ships, sailing on the Sea of Life, toward the Land of the Future. As we approach the shore, there is a haze hanging over it for all of us; but for some of us, this haze is a blanketing fog, blotting out the future. As ships, we need a good Captain to guide us through this fog into the Harbor of Success and away from the Rocks of Failure. Your Captains are your elders. Their advice may seem wrong and hard to follow, but these Captains have been through the Storms of Life, and this is but your Maiden Voyage. Remember that although a task may seem difficult at first, no one has ever succeeded without working.

We have chosen for our class motto, the maxim, "Try, Trust, Triumph." Think it over. Try . . . no one can go far without trying. If you go to college, you will need to try in everything; your studies, your athletic activities, and your social affairs. Going to work? No employer wants a person to work for him who is not willing to try. Trust . . . trust in yourself first of all. Know that you are going to win in whatever you do. And trust in your Captains. They will guide you safely through

the fog. Triumph . . . the fog has lifted. Clear sailing ahead!

Margery Tyler, '38

"Try, Trust, Triumph"

The Class of 1938 has chosen the motto, "Try, Trust, Triumph", as a standard to follow not only in high school, but in later trials and accomplishments. We have tried to reach the highest goal possible. This goal constitutes the foundation of business and social interests which, in the future, will require our opinions and decisions on difficult matters. The saying, "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again", is certainly familiar to all of us. Nobody is able to obtain success without some failures. Nobody is able to accomplish much without a quiet time for thought. Nobody is able to succeed without any effort. If we do things to the best of our ability, we can trust that some day we shall reach our particular aim in life. No matter what our future may be, we must all start with the idea that we can obtain nothing valuable without work. Theodore Roosevelt once said that we should share the things which made our interests a success with the problem of our community or nation. We can express this idea in one word—co-operation. We can never triumph as individuals or as a nation unless we try, and trust that we are the builders of a better place in which to live. Let us hope that we, as classmates, will remember this fine motto and will live up to its meaning in whatever country or under whatever circumstances we may find ourselves in later years. Let us make "Try, Trust and Triumph" a reality!

Nancy Twombly, '38

Ave Atque Vale

For four years the Class of 1938 has awaited this day, Graduation. Tomorrow we go out into the world, each to do his own work. As yet many of us do not know what that work will be, but in time we shall all find our own corner. Wakefield High School has given us its best, not only in scholarship, but in inculcating within us the true meaning of

sportsmanship and high ideals at all times.

We should succeed in life if we follow our class motto: "Try, Trust, Triumph." Try should give us the ambition to do everything to the utmost of our ability; Trust should promote our faith in God for His goodness; Triumph comes to us if we face our failures and overcome all obstacles with a stout heart. With the encouragement of our Alma Mater, we shall go into the world with our class motto on our lips: "Try, Trust, Triumph."

Mary Burns, '38

EDWARD HABERMANN

"Eddie" Teacher-Coach
Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Track
(1, 2, 3, 4); Track Captain (3); Basketball
Captain (4); Senior Play Understudy; Senior
Party Committee; Senior Class President.

"Eddie" is our Class President and one of the most popular boys in the school. He was quite a star in basketball and track, being captain of the Track Team in 1937, and captain of the Basketball Team in 1938. He may be commended for his ready wit and ever-present sense of humor. We find 'Eddie" plans to be a teacher-coach, a profession in which he will be just as well liked as he is at Wakefield High. Good luck "Eddie", we're giving three rousing cheers for your success.

BARBARA M. SMITH

"Smitty"

Burdett College
Vice-President, Junior Class; Junior Prom Committee; Inter Nos Board (3); President Inter Nos
(4); Vice-President, Senior Class; Spectator Staff
(4); Yearbook Staff (4); Senior Play Committee;
Senior Party Committee; Senior Play Cast;
Cheerleader (3, 4); Athletic Council (2, 3, 4);
Hockey (2, 3); Basketball (2, 3, 4); Bowling

"Personality plus"—that's our peppy, likable vice president. "Barb", one of the most popular girls in the school, has a wide range of activities. An essential part of the cheerleading group, "Smitty" has also participated in many sports, especially basketball. Known as the best guard we ever had, she kept the opposition on its toes all the time. As a social success, "Smitty" held presidency of the Inter Nos. Needless to say, she is the "Frank"-est girl in the school. "Barb" is heading for Burdett's. Smooth (ie) sailing, "Barb"!

HELENE M. SCHNURBUSH

Honor Pupil

"Sugar"

Class Secretary (4); Athletic Council (2, 3, 4);
Hockey (2, 3, 4); Bowling (2, 3, 4); Basketball (2, 3, 4); Tennis (3, 4); Archery (3); Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4); Junior Prom Committee; Cheerleader (3, 4); Senior Party Committee; Senior Play Property Committee; Spectator Staff; Yearbook Staff.

Versatility personified—that's "Sugar"! She is one of our most popular girls, "tops" in any sport in which she participates, a dance partner every boy dreams about, and above all, an excellent student. "Sugar's" attractive smile has won her many friendships, particularly that of the star center on our basketball team. With her scholastic ability and pleasing personality, we may be sure that in the future "Sugar" will always be a credit to Wakefield High. Some day we shall probably be saying, "I knew her when—."

EDWARD F. PAWŁOWSKI

"Eddie" Undecided
Senior Class Treasurer; Interclass Basketball (2);
Varsity Basketball (3, 4); Interclass Football
(3); Senior Play Executive Committee; Senior

Varsity Basketball (2), 4); Interclass Football (3); Senior Play Executive Committee; Senior Play Matron Committee.

"Eddie" is a tall, handsome boy known to everyone in the school, especially "Sugar". He is well liked, and his attractive personality has made him capable of his class office. His stellar playing on the basketball team was the joy of the fans, and in every game Eddie was a definite factor in the success of the team. He was co-operatively active on committees in his Senior year, and his dancing ability is not the least of his achievements. Good luck, "Ed"!







"Sparky" Glee Club (3) Diesel Engineering
Manager Basketball (2, 3).

Although "Sparky" has not participated to a great extent in school activities, he is popular among his friends for his carefree manner and good-natured attitude. His sophomore and junior years were profitably spent as basketball manager, and we are sure his ability in this position was appreciated. "Sparky's" easy-going disposition is sure to get him ahead in the world. We hope his desire to be an engineer will be fulfilled. Rah, rah, "Sparky"!



EDNA MAY ALLEN

"Eddie" Sherwood Music School
Glee Club (2-3-4): Class Day Pianist (3): String

Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Class Day Pianist (3); String Ensemble (3); Senior Play Pianist (4).

"Eddie" is one of North Ward's more quiet girls. Her extra-curricular activities throughout high school have been confined mostly to music. Edna plans to further her musical ambitions at the Sherwood School of Music, and we are sure that her talent in her chosen field will lead her far. We hope your future will be as bright as were your high school days, "Eddie".

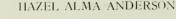


DOROTHY ANDERSON

"Dot" Manicuring School
Senior Party Committee (4); Basketball Manager

(2); Cheerleader (4).

"Dot" is another of the vivacious Greenwoodites. She expertly lives up to her reputation of being a "live-wire", and her ready smile creates a cheerful spot wherever she goes. "Dot's" fame on the dance floor is undeniable. Her active feet have mastered the latest dance steps, and her winning personality attracts many of the opposite sex, as well as the fair damsels. As a manicurist, "Dot" will be an expert.



"Dolly" Stenographer

Senior Play Committee.

"Dolly" gives you an idea of her sweet disposition. She is very quiet, but always has a smile for everyone. We are sure that some man will be glad to have Ilazel for a secretary. May your boss's son be a lively one. Good luck. "Dolly".

LAURA ANTONIOLI

"Lola" Stenographer

Inter Nos Club (2); Class Color Committee (3).

In Lincoln Grammar School, "Lola" was one of the most popular members of her class. In Wakefield High, her amiable ways have won her many enduring friendships. We wish you the best of luck as a stenographer, "Lola".

CONSTANCE HELEN APPLIN

"Connie" Interior Decorator
Field Flockey (2); Senior Play Committee;

Junior Prom Committee.

This is Miss Applin, known to her many friends as "Connie". Wherever there are jolly times, "Connie" is always there. She is one of the peppiest members of our class. "Connie" is always bright and cheerful, and ready to help a "friend in need". She has many fine qualities and wins many friends here and elsewhere. She is going to be an interior decorator, and we know she will be good—especially if we judge by her artistic efforts in the Senior Play.

CHRISTINA ATKINSON

"Tina" Secretarial School Field Hockey (3); Basketball (2, 3); Inter Nos

(2); Candy Committee (4); Usher Committee (4).

"Tina" is a quiet girl who has won many friends through her amiable disposition. She has participated in sports and devoted herself to committee work throughout her highschool career. Although she has not lived in Wakefield long. "Tina" is a favorite among her classmates. She studies faithfully and gets excellent results. We all join in wishing you lots of happiness, "Tina". Perhaps you'll be our secre-

tary, yet!

MARJORIE B. AYER

"Marj" Business College
Girls' Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Inter Nos Club
(2, 3, 4); Senior Play Cast.

"Marj" is one of our more sedate girls, with a charming and friendly manner all her own. She possesses a wonderful disposition, and her genial personality is only one of her many virtues. Aside from being a faithful member of the Glee Club, she has displayed her dramatic talent to good advantage by her part in the Senior Play. We know a girl like "Marj" will make good in the business school that she plans to attend. Anyway, here's hoping!





ARTHUR AYSCOUGH

"Art"

Undecided

Football (1); Basketball (3); Interclass Basketball (1, 2).

"Art" is that tall, blonde fellow who came to us from Montrose. He is an extremely likable chap and is as conscientious as they come. Although he has not taken part in many activities during his four years in high school, his dependability has won popularity. Whatever happens in the future, we may be sure we can depend on "Art".



BRADFORD BAKER

"Brad"

Business

Football (1); Junior Prom Committee.

"Brad" is a happy-go-lucky fellow, originally from the Warren School. He and his pals always create humor wherever they are. "Brad" was an active member of our Junior Prom Committee, and did we make him work! If you really think you like ice cream well enough, "Brad", we surely wish you luck at your new work. Why didn't you try out at W. H. S. for practice? One learns, you know, particularly at the girls' counter!



MARJORIE BALDWIN

"Margie"

Nurse

Glee Club (4).

Margie is a Lynnfield product. She has chosen for her career the nursing profession, and we know that her patients will always find a cheerful, efficient nurse at their service. "Margie" may appear to be of the reserved type, but don't let her deceive you. Although she's apparently quiet in school, she's full of fun outside. French still seems to be a puzzle to her; yet she retains her merry laugh. Good luck in the future, "Margie"!



CHARLES BARROWS

"Schlitz"

Aviation

Football (4).

One of the jolliest boys in school is "Schlitz" Barrows, who has a quip for everybody. His smiling face is a familiar sight in the corridors, and he is always welcomed heartily by students, and not so heartily by teachers who do not appreciate his sense of humor. Although he is not so active socially as many others, his pleasing grin made many friends for him. He is liked by all the Seniors. This fall, "Schlitz" was a candidate for the football team, and although he was not on the first team, he was a staunch guard on the second team. We hope to see you a full-fledged pilot some day, "Schlitz", and we know you will be a first-rate airline executive.

IOHN KEVIN BARRY

"Basher"

Baseball (1, 2, 3, 4); Football (1); Basketball (1);
Inter-class Basketball (2, 3); Inter-class Football
(2, 3); Soccer (2, 3, 4); Class Day Usher (3);
Senior Play Cast (4); Yearbook Staff (4); Ilockey
(4).

John was a great favorite at St. Joseph's Parochial School, and he is one of the most popular boys in the class of 1938. He is a noted baseball player, and he championed the cause of baseball before the School Committee and Athletic Association when they were in doubt whether or not to continue baseball in the schools. He plays hockey as well as baseball, and he was a spark plug in the forward line last winter. As a member of the cast in the Senior Play, he portrayed the character of his role skillfully and easily. To climax his brilliant high school career, he was elected Editor-in-Chief of the yearbook, a reward earned by honest effort. John has law school ambitions, and with his silver tongue, we may soon find him among the highest ranking attorneys of tomorrow.

RALPH BARTHELMES

"Slim" Merchant Marine

Class Motto Committee (4).

"Slim" has been most appropriately named, as those of you who are acquainted with him know. He went to the Lincoln School, where he was just as popular as he is with us. "Slim" has done a commendable job in helping to select our class motto: "Try, Trust, Triumph". In consideration of the fine work that he has done in the Wakefield High School, "Slim" should have no trouble in achieving a high command in the Merchant Marine.

CONSTANCE FERN BEECHER

"Connie" Massachusetts Arts School
Basketball (2); Bowling (2); Library Council (4);
Senior Play Stage Crew (4); Yearbook Staff (4);
Archery (4).

"Connie" is a peppy little blonde who comes to us from the North Ward. Her gaiety, good humor, and cheerful chatter have made her very popular during her four years at Wakefield High School. Her talent for drawing is well known, and we are sure she will be a success in her chosen field. We are looking forward to the future, "Connie", when we may say, "We knew you when—!"

ROBERT PAUL BENNETT

"Rubin" Certified Public Accountant
Hi-Y Club (3, 4).

We haven't heard much from this little fellow since he entered W. H. S., for when he came to us from Montrose, he buckled right down to work. "Rubin" is inclined to be very quiet, but his friends will tell you that he has an observant personality. We predict that "Rubin" will go a long way in his chosen profession. Nothing escapes his eagle eyes; therefore he should be a wonder in accounting.

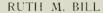












"Billy"

Undecided

Bowling (3, 4).

"Billy" is very friendly to everyone, a trait that has made her well liked in Wakefield High. Although she has participated in few of our school activities, we find her bowling at the "Y" very often. "Billy's" plans for the future are as yet undecided, but we are sure she will make a happy choice.



JOSEPH BISSO

"Pinky"

Undecided

"Pinky", who began his education at Franklin Grammar School, is one of the most ambitious members of our class. Eventually he hopes to attend college and fit himself for a political career. Don't form a new party, "Pinky", whatever you do.



WILLIAM JAMES BLANCHARD

"Bud"

Aeronautical Engineering
Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Hi-Y
Club (2, 3); Yearbook Staff (4); Class Day Usher
(3); Senior Play Understudy (4); Property Com-

(3); Senior Play Understudy (4); Property Committee (4); Inter-Class Football (4); Football Dance Committee (3)

Dance Committee (3).

"Bud" is one of the Falabella, Grout and Blanchard clan. He has led a busy life for the last four years. "Bud" has been one of Mr. Fanck's most dependable helpers, and his enthusiasm and joviality have made him one of the most popular students of our class. Since "Bud" plans to enter Tufts College, we shall call on him to design our plane. And do we envy your scholastic ability, "Bud"!



JAMES BRADY

"Jim" New Hampshire University
Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Junior Prom Committee;
Senior Play Executive Committee; Senior Play
Cast; Yearbook Staff (4).

Where you find the closest haircut, the flashiest bow tie, the loudest socks, and the "plaidest" pants, you can find "Jim" Brady, class clown. "Jim" has been a class favorite from the moment he entered school. His stocky build prompted him to go out for the football team in his freshman year. He was on the varsity squad his sophomore and junior years, and in his Senior year he held down the regular tackle berth. He played hard, charging, "heads-up" football, and fans will always remember the good job he did in the Winthrop game. He stole the Senior Play with his rollicking portrayal of "Fattie", which kept the audience laughing every minute that he was on stage. If you carry that sunny disposition of yours through life, Jim, you will be an assured success.

FRANCES ANNE BROWN

"Fran"

Hairdressing School

Candy Committee (4).

Although "Fran" may seem to be a quiet girl, she has a keen sense of humor, a gift which makes her very popular among her friends. She plans to be a beautician, and we feel sure that with her ability and personality she will be very successful.

ROGER KIMBALL BURKE

"Rog"

Springfield College

Basketball (1, 2, 3); Cross Country (2, 3, 4); Track (3, 4); Spectator Staff (3, 4); Cross Country Co-Captain (4); President, Hi-Y Club (4); Yearbook Staff (4); Senior Play.

llere we have, from Greenwood, one of the most popular boys in our class. "Rog" has chosen Springfield College in which to continue his gymnastic work. He has fascinated many a person by his straightness and gracefulness in performing. Not content with excelling in athletics, he has made a place for himself as a leader among the boys. "Rog" is always ready for good fun or work.

MARY ELIZABETH BURNS

"Burnsie"

Business College

Pield Ilockey (2, 3); Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Archery (3); Tennis (3); Ilomeroom Basketball (3); Dean's Office (4); Inter Nos (4); Senior Play Property Committee; Senior Play Candy Committee; Senior Play Usher; Yearbook Staff (4).

"Burnsie" has been one of the most active girls in our class, as well as one of the jolliest. Her sparkling personality endears her to all. Those who know her are kept in constant laughter by her witty remarks. Mary has a serious side, too, and you will always find her to be a true, dependable friend.

EDWARD CHARLES CALLAN

"Red"

College

Band (1, 2, 3); Baseball (2, 3); Hockey (4); Class Day Usher; Senior Play Usher; Football (1).

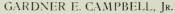
The many activities in which "Red" has participated during these last four years have certainly kept him busy. But he is so enterprising that he has a paper route besides. "Red" is a member of our newly-formed hockey team. He was instrumental in securing its acceptance as a school sport. In spite of his crowded schedule, "Red" has done very well in his studies. Such a conscientious lad will surely go to the top of whatever profession he chooses.











"Soupie" Oxford Business School Hi-Y Club (2, 3, 4); Hi-Y Spectator Staff (4); Junior Prom Committee (3); Publicity Committee

"Soupie" hails from the North Ward. His fun-loving nature makes him a favorite among his friends. Although his interest seems to be out of town, he has participated in many school activities. We know his future at Oxford Business School will be a bright one, and we unite in wishing him much luck and happiness there.



SALVATORE J. CANINO

"Sal"

College

Track (2); Orchestra (2).

"Sal" is a rather shy boy who came to us from the Lincoln School. He has been one of the quietest members of our class, but he has a subtle humor. We understand that "Sal" is talented as a musician, and we are sure that in later life we shall hear from him.



ROBERT G. CARLEY

"Rabbit"

Undecided

"Rabbit", another Greenwood alumnus, has not participated in many of our school activities. Nevertheless, he has been constantly among us. His excellent disposition has won him many friends in and out of school. Undecided as he may be, he little needs our wish of success and happiness.



MAURICE O. CARTER, Jr.

"Moe" Business School Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Interclass Basketball (3); Interclass Baseball (3).

"Moe", although quiet, is a popular student with a cheery word for everyone. "Moe" is planning to attend a business school next fall, and, with his business efficiency, he will find suitable prospects for the future.

GEORGE CASPER

"Casp"

Medical School

Glee Club (1, 2, 4).

"Casp" is one of those boys who haven't taken an active part in sports, but who have made friends. He is a quiet, unassuming fellow with plenty of fun and wit when he gets started. We are sure he will be a success in the medical profession.



PAUL CHAMPAGNE

"Shankie"

Business School

From the day "Shankie" entered school, we have heard more and more about him as well as from him. "Shankie" is one who will have a good time wherever he is. We owe a lot of fun and success to him, for his smile and good nature make him popular with everyone—especially the girls. "Shankie" has not been active in sports, but once he is on a dance floor, all eyes are turned toward him. Your four years have been very successful, "Shankie", and if that smile sticks, you have a promising future.



HOWARD KELLOWAY CHRISTIE

"Bootv"

Maryland State College

Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Interclass Football (2); Basketball (2); Interclass Basketball (3, 4);

Intramural Baseball (2, 3, 4).

Howard, though diminutive in stature, has a mammoth personality, and we are proud to be among his many friends. As is the custom with the Greenwood boys, he has been active in athletics, and there have been few interclass activities which have not drawn his interests. His agreeable nature assures us that he will make many friends in college, and his ability tells us that he will succeed there.



CHARLES CICCIARELLA

"Chooch"

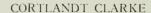
Undecided

Senior Play Stage Staff; Class Motto Committee (3).

"Charlie", from the Lincoln School, is well liked by his classmates. He is especially noted for his new ideas and arguments on old subjects. Although he is as yet undecided as to what his future will be, we wish him all kinds of luck. In fact, we shall miss you, "Charlie".







"Basher" Brown University
Football (1, 2): Hi-Y Club (3, 4): Lunchroom

Football (1, 2); Hi-Y Club (3, 4); Lunchroom (4); Senior Party Committee (4).

The Warren School sent us a well-appreciated package when it sent us "Basher". He was one of the committee that worked so hard to make our Senior dance one of the best. Cortlandt is also seen a great deal behind a counter, not only in the lunchroom but in one of our local stores. He "Ames" to please. "Basher" intends to study at Brown University, and some day we shall be able to say, "I knew him when—".



"Cobbie"

Music

Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Basketball (2); Inter Nos Club (2); Amateur Shows (1, 2).

A cheery giggle, a welcome smile, and here is "Cobbie", one of the music lovers of our class. "Cobbie" loves to sing, as one can see by her record, not only in the Glee Club, but also in amateur shows. Holly has made such a promising start that she plans to further her musical career. And yes, she's interested in radio, too. Here's wishing success to one of our future opera singers. Keep singing, "Cobbie".

EDNA MAE COLBY

Honor Pupil

"Ed"

University of Maine

Although Edna hails from Malden High School, she has entered into the fun of the Greenwood group and made herself well-liked. She has proved herself a good student and we can all profit from her example. The University of Maine is lucky, "Ed".

ALICE COLDWELL

Honor Pupil Tennis (3, 4).

"Al"

Burdett College

"Al" is the Lynnfield wizard who is the wonder of her class. Versatile in her studies, she is as good in history as she is in mathematics and science. We know that she will be successful. Burdett should prove valuable to one of her

ability.

ROBERT COOK Honor Pupil

"Cookie"

Bentley School of Accounting

Ring Committee (3).

"Cookie" came to us from the Lincoln School. Although he has not participated in a great number of activities, he is never alone, nor is he lacking in fun. "Cookie" has always been loyal to his class, and we know that at Bentley he will be successful. Good luck to you, "Cookie"!

CAROLINE COSMAN

"Cossy"

Secretary

Basketball (2, 3, 4); Hockey (3, 4); Ring Committee (3); Baseball (3).

"Cossy", a graduate of the Franklin School, is an invaluable basketball player. Hockey, also, has consumed "Cossy's" interest. Her co-operation and loyalty to her teammates in sports have been responsible for her large circle of friends, with her pleasing disposition and agreeable manner. Being an apt student of shorthand and typewriting, we are sure "Cossy" will make good in the secretarial school for which she is heading.

MARIE MILLIE COSTA

"Dimbles"

Opera Star

Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Amateur Show (2).

Marie is a happy girl who always has a smile for everyone. She tells us that her one aim and ambition in life is to become an opera star. With your winning personality and talented voice, we are expecting great things from you, Marie. When you are going to make one of your numerous appearances, will you remember the Yearbook Staff with some free passes?

MARGARET GERTRUDE COSTELLO

"Peggy"

Salem State Teachers' College

Basketball (2, 3); Tennis (2, 3); Golf (2); Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4); Inter Nos Club Pianist (4); Senior Play Understudy; Yearbook Staff (4).

"Peggy" is another of those charming young ladies whose genuine sincerity and unassuming manner endear her to all who have the good fortune of becoming intimately acquainted with her. Lucky pupils may have "Miss Peggy" as their teacher. We think we should like to join them and learn our A B C's again.









JOHN GALVIN CRONIN

"Huck" Preparatory School
Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Baseball (1); Junior Class
Color Committee (3); Senior Play Stage Crew
(4); Interclass Basketball (2, 3, 4).

"Iluck" is one of our most treasured friends. His carefree smile and dancing feet have wended their way into the hearts of all his classmates. During his four years with us, "Huck" has shown much interest in sports, especially football. Although he was not one of our great "eleven", his dependable playing helped Wakefield in holding its own during the football season and won the respect and admiration of the spectators. Besides sports, "Huck" has been an active committee worker. Let's hope his future at "prep" holds much happiness for him.

LEO DALEY

Undecided

"Weekly"
Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4).

Leo is such a quiet fellow that you would hardly know he was in class—that is, unless you got that warm, cheerful greeting he is capable of extending. He has been a diligent worker and is, indeed, an asset to our class. And to top it all, he is an excellent singer.

MARGARET DALEY

"Peggy" Business School
Baseball (2); Interclass Basketball (3); Senior
Play Wardrobe Committee.

"Peggy", one of the smallest girls in our class, came to high school from the Lincoln School. In spite of being so "petite", "Peggy" has ably participated in school sports. We know that you will make good in years to come, "Peg"!

MARGARET DALTON

"Peggy" Business School Inter Nos Club (2).

Margaret comes to us from the wide open spaces known as Lynnfield. "Peggy" spends a great deal of her time on homework, but she also keeps informed of the latest happenings, whether it be in school or in the outside world. She is a very cheerful and lively person. Here's to you in the business world, "Peggy", and when things get rough, keep smiling!

OLYMPIA D'AMBROSIA

"Ollv"

Teachers' College

Inter Nos (2); Bowling (1, 2).

"Olly" came to us from the Lincoln Grammar School, and all who met her were quickly won over by her captivating smile and never-ending jollity. She has won a host of true friends during high school, and her future pupils will be fortunate indeed to have her.

DOROTHY DAVIS

"Dotty"

Undecided

Glee Club (2). Tennis (2). Winter Sports (4). "Dotty" is well liked by her classmates for her quiet, unassuming ways and gentle disposition. She is as yet undecided about her future plans, but we know that her personal charm will make her many lasting friends during her life.

HOWARD DAVIS

"Howie"

"Howie" is well liked by his classmates for his dependability. He wants to become a draftsman, and we all wish him success in his ambition. Judging from his work in mathematics, he will become an expert in his life work.

JOSEPH DEFELICE

"Ioe"

Preparatory School

Football (I, 2, 3, 4); Basketball (I, 2, 3); Baseball (I, 2); Usher at Graduation (3).

"Joe" is one of the best-natured athletes that ever have graduated from Wakefield High. He was a standout on the freshman football team, and worked hard on the varsity football squad during his sophomore and junior years. As a reward for this constant labor, he received the full-back berth in his senior year. We are glad to see that "Joe" is going to prep school, and when he makes the football team, we'll be watching for his name in the headlines.







JOHN DEL ROSSI

"Skipper" Chemical Engineer
The Franklin School sent us this black-haired chap. Although he has spent his time on his school work, rather than on social activities, "Skipper" is a loyal member of our class. He hopes to be a chemical engineer, and he will surely be a good one.



DOMINICK DI DONATO

"Gurk" Preparatory School
Glee Club (1); Interclass Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4);
Interclass Football (2).

"Gurk" came from the Franklin School ready for four years of basketball and football. He has played successfully in many interclass games. As yet his only plans are to take a preparatory course and then decide his future. Some day we shall see his name signifying success in a definite field.



LAWRENCE ANTHONY DI DONATO

"Larry" is a boy who has won many friends because of his courtesy and amiable nature. Although he has not participated in many school activities, his cheerful smile has gained him much popularity. "Larry" is undecided about his tuture, but we know that luck will be his.



MARGUERITE DINAN

"Rita" Undecided
Basketball (2, 3); Field Hockey (3); Senior Party

Committee.

"Rita" came to us from St. Joseph's Parochial School.

"Rita" came to us from St. Joseph's Parochial School. During her four years in Wakefield High School, she has become a definite sports fan and has appeared at many of our school activities. To some, she may appear quiet; but to her friends, she is lively because of her sense of humor. Whatever her chosen vocation, "Rita" will always be the same good friend of high-school days.

JOHN DOHERTY

"Jack" Civil Engineering

John, or "Jack", as he is better known to many of us, is a quiet, bashful, sincere chap, well known for his diligent and industrious qualities. He has made friends and kept them, and many will vouch for him as a real pal. John is rather good-looking, and he is a perfect gentleman. Because of these assets, he is admired and respected by his classmates. Civil engineering is to be John's career for life, and we are sure that he will be "one in a million." Here's wishing you lots of luck, "Jack".



WALTER DOUCETT

"Wally"

Diesel Engines

Walter or more commonly known as "Wally" came to us

Walter, or more commonly known as "Wally", came to us from the Montrose School. He, however, has contributed none of his abilities to school activities, but has managed to get acquainted with everyone. Walter always has a cheery smile and helpful word wherever you meet him. His interest lies in Diesel engines and aviation. Good luck, "Wally", and here's hoping you make the newspapers!



CATHERINE DUANE

"Kay" Bryant and Stratton
Basketball (2, 3).

"Kay" is one of the more serene members of our class. She has proved herself to be a faithful and conscientious person during her course of study at Wakefield High. Her ambition in life is to be a secretary, and from present indications, any office will welcome her with open arms.



WILLIAM F. DUFAULT

"Bill" Boston College

Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Glee Club (2, 3); Hi-Y (2, 3, 4); Class Day Usher (3); Hi-Y Spectator Staff (4); Interclass Football (4); Intramural Basketball (4); Senior Play Cast.

"Bill" is a lively fellow. He is always ready to laugh, but often we wonder whether he is laughing with us or at us. "Bill", our flashy villain of Senior Play fame, is really jovial and obliging. After college, Bill, we expect great things of you!



CATHERINE DULONG

"Kitty"

Secretary

Hockey (2); Basketball (1, 2).

"Kitty" has the worthy ambition to be a secretary. Her alertness and activities are the qualities that insure her success. Her fingers will tap on the keys in some office. Don't get arrested for speeding, "Kitty". There's a limit, you know.

KATHLEEN DUNLEA

"Kittv"

Newspaper Reporter

Tennis (3).

If Kathleen is always as punctual and consistent in her attendance at work as she is in class, a few rungs on the ladder of advancement will surely be hers. We predict a brilliant future for "Kitty", as she is a real scholar who certainly knows all the answers.

FLORA ELDRIDGE

"Flossie"

Nursing

Field Hockey (2); Basketball (2); Printing Committee (4); Bowling (2, 3); Glee Club (4).

"Flossie" is a versatile person, interested in sports, music, and studies, and she does each equally as well. She has a personality that attracts friends from far and near. Flora plans to follow another nurse, Florence Nightingale. Lots of luck, "Flossie". We admire your ambition.

DORIS LILLIAN FAIRFIELD

"Dot"

Undecided

Horseback Riding (3).

"Dot" is another girl who is seen and not heard. However, we have been told that this shyness is apparent only in the classroom. "Dot" has not yet decided upon her career, but she will surely make good in whatever field she chooses.

BARBARA I. FAIRWEATHER

"Babs" Secretarial School

Bowling (1); Tennis Tournament (2); Field Hockey (1, 2); Basketball (2).

Combine personality with wit, and you have our "Babs". Always good-natured and full of vitality, she is the kind we vouch for. Any quiet group immediately awakens when "Babs" steps in. She is one of the most versatile girls of our class.

BENJAMIN FALABELLA

"Ben", "Butch" Aeronautical Engineering Hi-Y (3); Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Manager of Band (3); Class Day Usher (3); Emergency Com-

mittee (4).

"Ben", playfully called "Butch" by his friends, is a quiet, pleasant chap from Greenwood who has made many friends during his years in W. 11. S. He spends most of his time practicing on his guitar, and is an excellent player. Aviation has been his hobby, and now he is going to make it his business. We hope you like it, "Ben", and someday we'll see you "up there."

ROBERT FALL

"Bo" Wentworth Institute Tennis (2).

"Bo", who was graduated from Greenwood Grammar School before coming to our fair Alma Mater, has not been over-active in school activities, but we know that he has been spending his time profitably. In Wenthworth, he is going to learn pattern and cabinet making. Who knows but that in years to come, we shall buy a bookcase with his trade-mark on it? Good luck, "Bo"!

ELIZABETH MARSH FANCK Valedictorian

"Fanckie" Wellesley College Basketball (2, 3); Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4); Inter Nos Board (2); Junior Prom Committee; Yearbook Staff (4).

Coming from the Lincoln School, "Fanckie" has turned out to be one of our most promising classmates. How her friends envy her marks yet she is always ready to supply us envious ones with needy information. She takes a sincere interest in all activities and is a true worker. Elizabeth always has a smile for everyone and has acquired a great number of friends. We sincerely wish you every success in your years at Wellesley, "Fanckie".

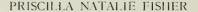












"Cilla"

Secretary

Baskethall (1, 2); Inter Nos (2, 3); Junior Prom Committee (3); Field Hockey (2); Senior Play Wardrobe Committee (4); Senior Yearbook Staff (4).

Who said, "Dimples"? Why, that's Priscilla Fisher. She is one of our attractive senior girls and one who is always ready for a good time. We won't forget, "Cilla", that you led us in the grand march at the Senior Party, accompanied, of course, by our popular class president. Priscilla is going to be a secretary, and if she keeps up the good work, she's bound to have a career. Here's hoping you get some kind "Mann" to work for, "Cilla"! Get it?

WILLARD FLINT

"Moon"

Norwich

Band (1, 2); Hi-Y Club (2, 3, 4); Business Manager of the Spectator (4); Senior Play Electrician.

"Moon" is the original funny man of the school. He has the peculiar power of being able to make people laugh when he wishes. Most of the witty sayings and jokes of W. H. S. can be traced to "Moon" at some time or another, and no "bull session" would be complete without him. "Moon" has a very keen mind and can learn easily when he desires. This may account for the vast sum of knowledge he seems to have stored away. Everyone in the school likes "Moon", and if he is his same self in life, he will gain a host of new friends.

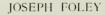
ELIZABETH HAMLIN FLORANCE

"Betty"

Undecided

Basketball (2, 3, 4); Bowling (3); Field Hockey (4); Tennis (3, 4); Skiing (4); Baseball (3).

"Betty" is a lively little "Miss" from the Warren School. She has taken an active part in sports, especially basketball. Although she is inclined to be quiet, her friendly disposition and willingness to help, have won her many friends. She tells us her plans for the future are undecided, but we wish her happiness wherever she may be. Perhaps you will be in headlines for your athletic ability, "Betty".



"[oe"

Undecided

Football (3, 4); Interclass Basketball (2, 3, 4); Interclass Baseball (3); Interclass Football (2).

"Joe" came to us via St. Joseph's Parochial School. He is a fine athlete and, as many of the fairer sex believe, a perfect physical specimen. "Joe's" smile has made it easy for him to make a multitude of friends. Undecided as you may be, "Joe", our decision is that you will be more than just successful.



ALBERT F. FUNK, JR.

"Larry" Telegraph Operator

Senior Play Emergency Committee (4).

"Larry" is a quiet modest fellow, and a product of the Warren School. He has not had much time for school activities, because he has worked hard for the Western Union. "Larry" plans to be a telegraph operator, so in years to come, when we hear a tap-tapping on the wires, our thoughts will turn toward him. We're wishing you a "tapping" future, "Larry", full of success.

JEAN GATES

"Gatesie"

Lesley School of Dietetics
Basketball (2, 3); Bowling (2, 3); Inter Nos
(2, 3, 4); Junior Prom Committee (3); Baseball
(3); Archery (3); Track (3); Senior Play Committee (4); Cheerleader (4).

"Gatesie", one of the Greenwood lasses, has a winning manner all her own. She and her "gang" have been the cause of many riots in our class. "Gatesie's" personality and vitality are only two of her assets. An avid sports enthusiast, Jean has made many teams and can play a mean guard on any basketball squad. In addition to this, she has been an important member of one of the best groups of cheerleaders Wakefield has ever had. Dieticians, watch out—for if "Gatesie" is to be one of you, you're going to have competition!

JACQUELINE GIBBS

"Jackie" Private Secretary
Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Senior Play Committee (4);
Color Committee (3).

"Jackie" is another "la petite" miss from the North Ward. Although she appears very quiet in the classroom, she can make plenty of appreciated noise when she desires. With her unusual good nature and winning smile, Jackie will no doubt be successful. She plans to become a private secretary, but if she does not find that profession to her liking, she can always rely on her great musical ability. We know you'll do your best, "Jackie".

ROSEMARY GOLDEN

"Rosy" Undecided Field Hockey (2); Basketball (2); Glee Club (4).

Upon those who know her, "Rosy" bestows a friendship that is steady, dependable, and truly very sincere. Although "Rosy" has always been a quiet, unobtrusive student, she is sagacious, possessing a pleasing appearance. Her future is as yet undecided, but we know that whatever she chooses, she will come out "on top".











CARRIE GRAY

"Kay"

Undecided

Senior Party Committee.

If you see a dazed expression on "Kay's" face, you will know that she is still wondering what profession she will enter. Her cheerfulness and kindness have won esteem from her classmates. We shall remember "Kay" by her ever-present smile.

MARTHA D. GREENLEAF

"Marty"

Undecided

Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Motto Committee (3).

Martha is one of the youngest members of our class, but her range of talents and accomplishments would do credit to a young lady of more years. She is a lover of music, and although her plans for the future are somewhat undecided at the present time, we are hoping she will continue in the musical world. Whatever it may be, good luck, "Marty".

ROSE GREGORY

"Chick"

Undecided

Tennis (1); Basketball (1, 2); Bowling (2).

"Chick" is a cheerful product of the Franklin School. Her unselfish nature is admired by her many friends. Although she has not taken part in many activities, she is a loyal, true, dependable pal.

RICHARD GRIFFIN

"Dick"

Marine Engineer

Football (2); Hi-Y Club (2, 3, 4).

"Dick" began his studies at the Lincoln School. Although "Dick" has not participated in many of our social activities, he has won many friends by his contagious smile. He is accurate and determined, qualities which, we believe, will make him successful as a marine engineer.

ELIZABETH GRIFFITHS

"Betsy"

Leslev School

Basketball (2, 3); Inter Nos (2, 3, 4); Junior Prom; Senior Play Committee; Senior Play Cast; Cheerleader (4); Yearbook Staff (4); Inter Nos Treasurer (4).

is "Betsy" happy? Could anyone doubt it from the cheery laugh that always accompanies her? Her outbursts are often amusing, as they escape when least expected. "Betsy" has proved herself capable during her high-school career. "Bijou" on the football field, "Snookie" in the Senior Play! Whatever the name, wherever the place, "Betsy" will be there. We know your kindergarten children will enjoy you as much as we have, "Betsy".

KENNETH MARTIN GROUT

"Ken" Vermont University

Band (1, 2, 3); Glee Club (4); Hi-Y (4); Emergency Committee (4); Interclass Football (4).

"Ken" is another member of the Greenwood hosts. He is a good-natured, vivacious chap, and he is never so happy as when he is seated behind an ivory and ebony keyboard. We honestly think that he should be a famous pianist, but he has set his mind on becoming an electrical engineer. Well, "Ken", we advise you not to forget your school chums when you get mixed up in those ohms and watts!

SALVATORE GUILIANO

"Sal" Undecided

Color Committee (3); Class Day Usher (3); Emergency Committee (4).

"Sal" is a Lincoln Schoolite who is a universal favorite. He is the type of fellow who works and studies hard. No doubt we shall wish some day that we had been as industrious as he. Whatever future you may choose, "Sal", rest assured that we, your classmates, are hoping for your success.

ELIZABETH GUILLOW

"Betty" Simmons College

Basketball (2, 3); Inter Nos (2, 3, 4); Inter Nos Board (4); Junior Prom Committee; Senior Play Committee; Senior Play Understudy; Senior Play Prompter; Dean's Office (4); Archery (3); Yearbook Staff (4).

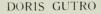
"Betty" is one of the most likable girls in our class. The Lincoln School surely sent us a good and willing worker. Any plan or program set before her is readily approved. Her blonde hair and stylish clothes add to her cheerful and pleasing manner. Simmons will certainly welcome her!











Nurse "Shortv" Class Motto Committee (3); Yearbook Staff; Candy Committee (4); Library Service Club (4).

St. Joseph's School may well be proud of "Shorty", whom they sent to us in 1934. She has become one of the best liked girls in our class. Although she is a quiet girl, she is the grandest pal anyone could have. A certain blonde-haired "Eddie" from the North Ward will back this statement, we're sure. A hospital won't be bad at all with you around, "Shorty"

JAMES PAUL GUTTADAURO

"Jay" Undecided Football (1); Baseball (1, 2); Track (1, 2); Basketball (1, 2); Glee Club (1, 2); Homeroom Basketball (3); Senior Play Property Committee; Cross Country (2, 3).

"Jim" is another classmate from the Lincoln Grammar School. Unassuming and easy-going, "Jim" has been very active on the athletic field. Since he was too light for football, "Jim" specialized in track and did remarkably well. We hope "Jim" will cover all his plans for the future as quickly as he covers yardage in track.



JOHN ANTHONY GUTTADAURO

"Tee" Hairdresser

Baseball (1, 2); Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Senior Play Manager (4).

"Tee" is a fun-loving boy with an outstanding reputation as football captain. He has been active in sports throughout his high school career and has established an everlasting friendship with most of his fellow students. Besides proving himself an athlete, "Tee" has become quite a favorite with the fairer sex. We feel confident in saying that his hairdress-ing business will be a big success.



HERMAN HABERMANN

"Herm" University of Kansas Football (1, 2, 3); Manager of Football (4); Baseball Manager (1); Hi-Y Club (3); Hi-Y Spectator Staff (4).

"Herm" hails from Greenwood and has been an active class member. He worked hard as a football manager in his Senior year. In his last year he worked on the Hi-Y Spectator and was responsible for a large part of the "Keyhole" column. He plays no favorites and is everybody's friend. We know you will show Kansas the best type of Wakefield boy, "Herm".

PHYLLIS A. HAMPTON

"Phyl" Boston University

Basketball (2): Bowling (2); Inter Nos (2, 3, 4); Senior Play Wardrobe Committee (4).

"Phyl" is a jolly brown-haired maid, who began her education in the Greenwood Grammar School. While at Wakefield High, she has been active in school affairs and has been an especially faithful participant in the bowling and basket-ball classes. "Phyl" intends to go to Boston University for her higher education, and her cheery disposition will surely make her well-liked there.

CYRIL HARPER

"C.y" Chemical Engineer Baseball (1, 2, 3, 4); Interclass Basketball (4).

"Cy" received his grammar school education at the Franklin School. During his high school days, he has been a conscientious student and is one of those fellows with quiet dispositions but with plenty of pep. We are sure that he will succeed as a chemical engineer and will be well known some day in his profession.

MARGUERITE HARPER

"Margo" Bryant and Stratton Inter Nos Club (1, 2); Basketball (2, 3).

We should like to write a book about "Margo", but the time prevents us. "Margo" is a good scout. Some of us may not know her very well, but those who do are keen in their praise. She is a good student and a loyal pal. Remember us in later years, "Margo".

INA HARVEY

"Tiny" Nurse Glee Club (1, 2, 3).

lna is that quiet little girl from Lynnfield. Those who have had the pleasure of her acquaintance find that she is indeed a friendly and delightful person to know. We are certain that you will become an excellent nurse and help your patients with the sunshine of your smile, "Tiny".







WILLIAM HATCH

"Bill"

Northeastern

Cross Country (2, 3, 4); Graduation Usher (3); Interclass Football (4); Hi-Y Club (4).

"Bill" or "Hatchie", a product of the Greenwood Grammar School, has made many friends in the past four years. "Bill" has never really become attached to the fairer sex, but there are many of them on his long list of friends. The courage and fortitude that you have shown us will certainly aid in what we feel will be your success, "Bill".



WARREN HAWKES

"Hawksie"

Electric Welding

Although "Hawksie" has not been very active in the social or the sport life of our school, he has been popular. His wiry hair and tensile strength are his distinguishing features. Watch out for short circuits in this business of yours, Warren!



GEORGE HAYES

"G"

College

Interclass Football (2); Hockey (4); Senior Stage Crew.

George is a quiet fellow with a very pleasant personality. His sunny smile and natural sense of fun have gained him many friends. Incidentally, George is an enthusiastic hockey player. Watch that puck, and here's hoping some day we'll see you playing for the Boston Bruins. All the luck in the world to you, George!



ROBERT HAYWARD

"Bob"

Mechanical Engineer

Interclass Baseball (3).

"Bob" entered Wakefield High School from the Lisbon Grammar School in Maine. Although he has not participated in many of our school activities, he has won many friends. He played interclass baseball during his junior year and plans to enter trade school to become a mechanical engineer. Good luck, "Bob".

CLAIR S. HENDRYX

"Sam" Radio Control Operator
Senior Play Emergency Committee.

"Sam", another of the Lynnfield Center class, is a lad whose quietness and common sense have won him many sincere friends. He has always been interested in "T. S. F." and, as may be seen, he has decided to devote his life to it.



THOMAS HICKEY

"Shorty" Business School

Tom has not participated in many school activities while with us, but his carefree manner has won him popularity among his fellow students. When Tom came to us, St. John's loss was our gain. He is well known for his unusual and becoming height, from which his nickname has originated. In the future Tom expects to enter a business school. We all know his success is assured and join in wishing him the best of luck.



DONALD THOMPSON HILL

"Don" College

Assistant Football Manager (3); Football Manager (4); Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Prom Committee (3); Senior Play Publicity Committee.

"Don" is a quiet, likable fellow from the Lincoln School. His loyal work as football manager and his seriousness toward his studies show that he is a hard worker. And "Iva" hunch that a certain young Greenwood lady thinks well of him. Smooth sailing, "Don".



HENRY HOLDEN

"Henie" College

Band (1, 4): Senior Party Committee (4): 11i-Y Club (4).

Although "Henie" spurned us for Maine his junior year, he has participated in many of our high-school activities. He is not only a popular member of our class, but a famous one. He is especially well known for his dancing technique. He also plays an excellent game of basketball, a fact which he is too modest to admit. "Henie" is headed for college, where he will surely be a social as well as an educational success.





LAWRENCE EDWARD HOLOWAY

"Bud"

Cabinet Maker

"Bud", from the Franklin School, is always to be known by his cheery grin and ever-present good humor. Although he has not taken part in many of our school activities, he is known and liked by all. Good luck in your future trade!



CHARLES EDWIN HOPKINS

"Eddie"

Aviation

Baseball (1); Football (1).

Capability and energy are "Eddie's" qualities. We are not surprised that he wants to pile them in an airplane. He should study the law of gravity. Maybe he would like to build a modern Noah's Ark. The sky's the limit you know!



ROSINA HOWARD

"Ranny"

Stylist

Basketball (2, 3); Field Hockey (2); Bowling (2, 3); Senior Play Wardrobe Committee.

"Ranny" is another designer of Greenwood and is one of the liveliest, peppiest members of the class. She doesn't seem to give the Wakefield lads a break, but perhaps she prefers a certain Stoneham resident. Nevertheless she has made many friends during her high school career, and we predict that she will make as many more in the future.



"Blondie"

Undecided.

Interclass Basketball (4); Track (4); Senior Play Emergency Committee; Interclass Football (4).

John came to us from St. Joseph's School. He is a shy lad, but one who has a most winning smile and personality. Many of the "fairer" sex have been attracted by his blond hair and sparkling blue eyes. Perhaps that is why Nagle's Drug Store has been such a busy spot since John's smiling face has been behind the counter. Don't worry about your future, John. Your happy smile will carry you through.

THOMAS HURTON

"Tom"

Undecided

Interclass Basketball (2, 4).

"Tom" is a quiet lad who came from the St. Joseph's Parochial School. He is not known to many of us, but those of us who do know him appreciate his warm friendship. Although "Tom" has not yet decided what his future will be, we wish him happiness in whatever vocation he selects.



MARY IRWIN

"Winnie"

Ladycliff College

Inter Nos Club (3, 4); Glee Club (3, 4); Candy Committee (4); Senior Play Understudy.

Mary came to Wakefield High School in her junior year. Since them, she has taken a rather active part in school affairs. She may appear to one as a reserved person, but she is really very jolly as well as a good student. She also possesses musical and dramatic talent. We know because we have the school of the state of the school of the heard her Senior rhetorical! Grand!



"Iackie"

Undecided

Field Hockey (1); Basketball (1); Senior Play Candy Committee.

"Jackie" is that quiet, unassuming girl who came to us from the Franklin School. She has an extremely likable personality and may be distinguished by her curly, blonde hair and big, cheery smile. We know her to be successful in anything she attempts. May you go far in the world, "Jackie"!

PETER JENCSOLIK

"Pete"

Wentworth Institute

Orchestra (1, 2, 3, 4); Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Publicity Committee (4).

Another lad from the Lincoln School, "Smilin' Pete", is Wakefield High's original "Good Humor Man". His inimitable sense of humor has won him many close friends. He has played a trumpet for four years in W. H. S., and for some years before. When you enter Wentworth, "Pete", enter with a smile and with the traditions of your Alma Mater. Success will smile upon you.





FLORENCE GRACE JILLETT

"Floss" Sargent School
Field Hockey (3, 4); Basketball (3, 4); Bowling
(3, 4); Inter Nos Club (4).

"Floss" comes to us from Greenwood and is certainly an excellent addition to our class. She has a sweet disposition and a personality that will carry her far. If "Floss" is a friend of yours, you may be assured that you have one perfect pal. We know Sargent College will appreciate you as much as we do, "Floss".

RALPH S. JOHNSON, Jr.

"Axle" Telephone Company
Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Interclass Basketball (1, 2, 3).

Ralph has three characteristics which will identify him anywhere—his ready smile, his height, and his moustache. It will be easy for him when working for the telephone company, for he will not have to bother to climb the poles to fix the wires. Seriously, though, we have enjoyed Ralph's company during our high school days, and predict that his friendly spirit will help him on the road to success.

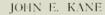


DOROTHY JOYCE

"Dot" Business School

Senior Play Candy Committee.

"Dot" is a graduate of the Lincoln School. Although she is quiet and unassuming, she has proved her worth by her fine work on the Candy Committee. Her neatness and accuracy should place her at the top of the business world.



"Sugar"

H'ork

Glee Club (2, 3, 4).

"Sugar" came to Wakefield High from Greenwood Grammar School. He is full of humorous quips and witty remarks, and "Sugar's" presence insures a lively time. Although he intends to work after graduation, we are sure that he will reach the top in a few years.

MONA KENT

"Mo" Undecided

Basketball (2); Library Council (4); Senior Play Candy Committee; Senior Party Committee.

Mona is a girl of whom we are all fond. Her ready smile and laughing eyes have made her a favorite with most of her classmates. Although she has not yet decided on her future work, we are sure she will succeed in whatever field she chooses. Pep, vim, and vigor are three of her greatest assets, and with these she will conquer her world.

NORMA M. KILLAM

"Champ"

Undecided

Tennis Tournament (2, 3, 4).

Norma is the blonde tennis champ from the Warren School. "Champ" can play a driving game of tennis with the best of the boys in our school. "Champ's" ready smile for everyone has won her many friends. Norma is undecided as to her future, but we believe that she has the necessary requirements to succeed.

GEORGE EDWARD KIMBALL

"Grumpy"

College

Football (2, 3, 4); Golf (2, 3, 4); Hi-Y Club (3, 4); Junior Prom Committee: Graduation Usher (3); Senior Play Understudy: Spectator Staff (4); Yearbook Staff (4); Interclass Basketball (3, 4).

George is a lively fellow, always ready for some fun. When "Grumpy" smiles, you just can't help feeling happy with him. George, plus his smile, has been responsible for the ample supply of sandwiches sold at the girls' lunch counter this year. He plans to attend college, and we are sure that he will be a favorite with everybody. Make us proud of you, George!

MARY ELIZABETH KIMBALL

"Betty"

College

Basketball (2, 3); Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4); Senior Play (4); Cheerleader (4); Inter Nos Board (2, 4); Senior Director Inter Nos (4); Junior Prom Committee (3); Senior Play Committee (4); Information Desk (4); Yearbook Staff (4).

"Betty" is very popular with her classmates. She always has a smile ready for us, and she is always ready to help in every way. She has participated in many school activities and is bound to be successful in college. She is everyone's pal, and we hope sincerely that she always will be as popular in her future life as she is now. And we envy her executive ability!









JOHN D. KING

"Mink" U.S. Coast Guard

Football (1, 4); Assistant Junior Football Manager (3); Interclass Basketball (3); Senior Play Committee (4); Senior Play Stage Crew.

"Mink", a Lincoln Grammar School graduate, is more at home in a sailboat than any place else, and he can be found in his sailboat any time during the summer. He is a lively fellow, especially popular with his classmates. "Mink" is headed for the U. S. Coast Guard, where we feel sure that he will be a credit to all who know him.

ROBERT KING

"Bob" University of New Hampshire

Track (2, 3, 4); Cross Country (2, 3, 4); Senior Piay Cast; Interclass Basketball (4).

"Bob", who came to us from New Jersey, has won his way into the hearts of many of our local young women. He has achieved this through his pleasing personality, which he displayed in the lead of the Senior Play, and through his athletic ability. He has been a valuable asset to our track and cross country teams. Let this be a notice to "Bob" that we hope and expect to hear of his even greater success at the University of New Hampshire.

VIRGINIA LAMBERT Honor Pupil

"Ginger" University of New Hampshire Golf (2); Track (3, 4); Skiing (4); Senior Play Wardrobe Committee; Tennis (3, 4); Archery (3); Inter Nos (2, 3, 4); Yearbook Staff (4).

"Ginny" is an unusually good sport. From Lynnfield Centre Grammar School, she came to Wakefield High, but she prefers her acquaintances in her home town. She is just the type that relishes sports. At first, one would believe her to be quiet, but after being with her for a short time, she proves herself to be the life of the party. Like her father, Virginia takes a great interest in drawing. Her personality and talent foretell a bright future.

MARY ANN LAZZARO

"Annie" Secretarial School

Senior Play Candy Committee; Basketball (1); Glee Club (1).

Mary is the pretty dark-haired girl who came to us from the Woodville School four years ago. She is one of the most fashionable girls in the Class of 1938. Her natural curly hair has been a constant source of admiration to her classmates. We are certain that she will become a most efficient secretary and be of great assistance to the lucky man who may employ her. Here's wishing you success, Mary!

GEORGE A. LEACH

"Jesse Owens"

Undecided

Cross Country (2, 3); Track (2, 3, 4); Manager of Baseball (2); Indoor Track (2, 4); Co-Chairman of Emergency and Relief Committee (4); Co-Chairman of Furniture Committee (4).

"Jesse Owens", who was graduated from the Greenwood Grammar School, is one of our more "track-minded" classmates. It might be said that track has been his one love, but in all justice to him, we must add that he has found time to perform any task that has come his way. May your victories in life be as pleasant and as numerous as those you have attained on the cinders, George.



EDNA MARY LEDUC

"Eddie"

Undecided

Basketball (2); Ring Committee (3); Wardrobe Committee (4); Glee Club (4).

Edna wants to be nothing in particular—everything in general. That's right "Eddie", don't be choosie! She is a small, dark-haired girl who is quiet and serious-minded. Once her confidence is gained, she is a true friend.



MELVIN J. LEVINE

"Mel"

L'ndecided

Glee Club (1); Football (1, 2, 3); Interclass Basketball (2, 3, 4); Hi-Y Club (3, 4); Interclass Football (4); Yearbook Staff.

"Mel", who was graduated from the Lincoln School, is perhaps, one of our more studious classmates. Although "Mel" is undecided as to his future, we know that he has many great ambitions that his modesty hides. We feel that some day those ambitions will be realized, and we shall be proud to say that he was one of us.



KENNETH WALTER LINDSAY

"Kenny"

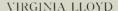
Motorcycle Racer

Football (1); Hi-Y Club (2, 3, 4); Glee Club (4); Senior Play Production Staff (4).

"Kenny" received his grammar school education at the Lincoln School. We have enjoyed his company in school. Although his choice of vocation is somewhat unusual, we know he will be successful in it.







"Ginny" Hairdresser
Field Hockey (2); Basketball (2); Bowling (2, 3);
Senior Play Candy Committee; Senior Party
Committee.

"Ginny" is another miss from that unexplored wilderness called Greenwood. During her high school career she has been interested in athletics as well as in her studies. We all hope that her ambition to be a hairdresser will be realized. "Ginny's" care-free manner and pleasant smile have won the friendship of all of her fellow-students. Her pep and vigor are undeniably her most popular traits. Among "Ginny's" qualities there is one weakness: she seems always t'eddy (Teddy) around as if in a daze. Nevertheless, we all agree that "Ginny" will find success wherever she goes.

EDMOND LOUGHLIN

"Big Ed" Holy Cross
Football (3, 4); Orchestra (1, 2, 3, 4); Stage
Manager, Senior Play.

"Big Ed" is well known to football followers for his prowess as a football player. We also know "Ed" for his flashing smile and his dazzling personality. "Ed" is more at home with a gun under his arm than he is on a dance floor. "Ed" will be doing things in a "big" way at Holy Cross. Rah, rah, Edmond!



CATHERINE C. MACGILLIVRAY

"Scotty" Salem State Teachers' College
Orchestra (1; Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Inter Nos Club
(2); Ring Committee (3); Candy Committee (4).

"Scotty" is a member of the group which has been interested in the musical affairs of the school. She is a versatile musician. However, she was also an energetic member of the Candy Committee and did much to make our Senior Play successful. With the help of her untiring patience, she will be a success in the teaching profession.



"Scotty" Wilfred Academy
Orchestra (1, 2); Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Music
Ilarmony Club (3); Inter Nos (2, 3); Junior Prom
Committee (3); Yearbook Staff (4).

"Scotty" is another of our classmates who belongs to Lynnfield Center. She is always cheerful and ready for fun. Moreover, she likes music and is an accomplished pianist. She has been very active in our various musical clubs. We hope that after attending Wilfred Academy, "Scotty" will not become so absorbed in her work that she will discontinue music as her favorite pastime.



DONALD FRANK MACKAY

"D" McGill University

Football (1); Basketball (1); Baseball (3, 4); Hockey (4); Senior Play Cast (4); Intramural Baseball (3, 4); Interclass Basketball (3, 4); Interclass Football (4); Interclass Track (1, 2, 3, 4).

"D" won fame as a baseball player even before he entered high school, and continued to be a star for freshman and interclass teams. Baseball is not the only sport in which he excels, for he has played on interclass basketball, track, and football teams. He was also a defensive star of the hockey team. We are sorry you are going so far away to school "D", but we know that you will make the Canadiens proud of you.

EDWARD MALONEY

"Ed" Massachusetts State College

Football (2, 3, 4); Hi-Y Club (2, 3, 4); Glee Club (1); Interclass Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Interclass Baseball (3, 4); Interclass Track (3); Chairman Property Committee (4).

"Eddie's" lively good humor makes him one of the most popular members of '38. He is a pleasing addition to any group. His fun-loving nature will win him many sincere friends at Massachusetts State College. Now. don't be bashful, "Ed". Speak up!

GAITANA CATHERINE MARINO

"Tana" Secretary

Glee Club (1); Basketball (2).

"Tana" entered Wakefield High from the Lincoln School. She is undecided whether she will enter a secretarial school, or become a hairdresser. With her pleasing personality she should be able to choose her future position.

BARBARA MARTIN

"Babs" Undecided
Baseball (2); Field Hockey (1); Bowling (2);

Basketball (1); Inter Nos Club (4); Senior Play Wardrobe Committee.

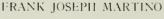
"Babs" is one of the most popular girls in the Senior Class. She came to us from the Greenwood School, and has played an active part in many school affairs. There's never a dull moment when "Babs" is around, and her company is always welcome. Keep smiling, "Babs", and you'll succeed no matter what profession you choose.











"Marty" Undecided
Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Basketball (1, 2, 3); Baseball

"Marty" came to Wakefield High from the Franklin School. He has been closely associated with athletics during his four years at Wakefield High. Because of his ready wit, "Marty" is one of the most popular members of his class. We feel sure that "Marty" will be successful in his chosen profession. As a stage hand for *Life Begins at Sixteen*, he was immense. We're rooting for you, "Marty".



HENRY McCONVILLE

"Doc" College

Tennis (3); Interclass Basketball (3); Soccer (4); Hockey (4); Senior Play Understudy.

We call him "Doc" because of his ability in physics. "Doc" is an enthusiastic sport, not only in athletics, but in his own inventions. His favorite games are hockey and skiing. Furthermore, he is also a brilliant student. "Doc" is sure to be a popular and successful student in his college career.



BERNARD JOSEPH McDONALD

"Mac"

McGill University

Junior Prom Committee; Interclass Baseball (3);
Interclass Track (3); Graduation Usher (3);
Senior Play Cast; Interclass Football (4); Hockey

(4).

"Mac", a native of Canada, was popular from the first moment he entered school. His cheerful smile and winning personality have gained him many friends in the few short years he has been here. It was only natural that a Canadian should play hockey, but Wakefield had no team. This did not deter "Mac", and with the aid of several other boys, he helped organize a team. McGill University will get a great fellow when "Mac" arrives.



CATHERINE MERRILL

"Kay" Colby Junior College
Basketball (2, 3, 4); Baseball (2, 3); Hockey (4);
Bowling (4); Archery (3, 4); Riding (3); Junior
Prom Committee; Senior Play Understudy; Inter
Nos (2, 3, 4).

"Kay" is one of our prettiest and best-dressed girls. She is a graduate of the Warren School. Her delight in all school activities is well known. Incidentally, she is at her best on a dance floor. "Kay" will be popular wherever she goes. Colby Junior will welcome you, "Kay".

WILLIAM FRANCIS MEUSE

"Bill" New Hampshire University

Football (1, 3); Basketball (1, 2, 3); Baseball (1, 2); Track (1, 2, 3); Interclass Football (4); Interclass Basketball (4); Interclass Track (4); Cheerleader (4); Senior Play Understudy (4); Senior Play Usher (4); Senior Play Executive Committee (4); Business Manager, Yearbook (4).

"Bill" is one of our most popular Seniors. He is always ready for a good time and willing to help everyone. He has been very active in sports, and during his years with us has made many friends. He displayed a great part of his ability in his last year by being an enthusiastic cheerleader. We know, "Bill", that you'll never be in need of friends.

HELEN MEW

"Kitty" Nurse

Basketball (2, 3); Field Hockey (3); Bowling (2, 3); Cheerleader (4); Swimming (3); Archery (3); Baseball (3).

Ilelen received her preliminary education at the Warren School. During her four years in Wakefield Iligh, she has been prominent in school activities. Her pleasant smile and pleasing disposition have won popularity for her. Will you be our nurse if we need one, "Kitty"?

KATHERINE MILLER

"Kay" Secretary

Orchestra (1, 2, 3); Basketball (2, 3, 4); Bowling (3, 4); Field Hockey (3); Riding (3); Archery (3); Track (3); Baseball (3).

"Kay" has been very active during the last four years. She has participated in many sports, as well as in social festivities. Her quiet and efficient manner should assure her of a dependable position in the business world.

WOODROW MILLET

"Woodie" School of Accounting
Glee Club (3).

"Woodie" came from the Lincoln School to gain and hold many true friends within Wakefield High School. His cheerful smile and good humor have become well known to his fellow students. "Woodie" plans to enter a school of accounting where his ambition will merit his success.









EVA MONEGAN

"Little Eva"

Nurse

Glee Club (3, 4).

"Little Eva", one of our biggest gigglers, came to us from Melrose during her sophomore year. In Melrose she played basketball and belonged to the Mask and Wig. "Eva" always wears a smile and is loads of fun. Her voice has been of genuine assistance to our glee club. Eva plans to become a nurse, and then an air hostess. Here's for "Happy I andings", "Eva"!

CLAIRE MONTAGUE

"Patsy"

Nursing School

Motto Committee (3); Bowling (2, 3); Publicity Committee (4); Archery (3).

Even though "Patsy" is by far one of the most mischievous girls in our class and a trial to her teachers as well, she is one of our best liked Seniors. A dull moment is unknown when "Patsy" is around. We shall cherish her in our memory as the beloved jinx of our class.

IRENE MONTAGUE

"Butch"

Nurse

Glee Club (1); Bowling (2, 3); Basketball (2, 3, 4); Motto Committee (3); Track (4); Senior Play Committee.

Irene, or "Butch", as most of us know her, is the younger of those two incorrigible Montague sisters. She is one of our most delightful classmates, besides being one of the prettiest. As you can see, "Butch" is a very busy girl who has been especially famous for her ability as a guard on the basketball team. "Butch" will make an excellent nurse, for she is always calm and smiling.

HUGII MORGAN

"Hughie"

Tufts Dental School

Interclass Basketball (1, 2); Interclass Baseball (3).

"Hughie" came to us from St. Joseph's Parochial School. Ile is a quiet, studious fellow, well liked by both teachers and students. Ilugh has not participated in many school activities, but those who know him tell us he is a grand person. "Hughie" plans to be a dentist. Here's hoping you pull the right teeth, Ilugh!

MAURICE J. MORIN

"Doc"

Tufts Medical

Senior Party Committee (4).

Maurice, a graduate of St. Joseph's Parochial School, aspires to be a doctor. Although he has not been active in sports, he has made many friends in the past four years. His personality and fine character will help him realize his ambition. The courage you have shown gives adequate assurance that we shall some day salute you, "Doc".



FLORENCE MOSHER

"Flo"

Secretary

Field Hockey (2); Basketball (2); Senior Play Publicity Committee (4).

"Flo's" cheery face certainly brightens a dull Monday morning. Her good nature is one of her greatest assets. She will never have any difficulty in finding a job. Just flash your smile, "Flo", and the world will be yours.



"Junie"

Lasell Junior College

Bowling (2); Senior Party Committee; Senior Play Committee.

"Junie" is one of the fairest of our "fairer sex." Her charming manner and delightful personality have made her a favorite among her classmates. We shall miss the sight of your sunny smile and golden hair. "Junie", but we are sure that Lasell will love you as much as we do. May your plans for the future be successful.



MARGARET G. MURPHY

"Peggy"

Dietician

Glee Club (1); Senior Play Committee.

"Peggy" comes to us from the Lincoln Grammar School. She has been a rather quiet, but popular, member of the class. "Peggy" is much interested in the domestic science course. She will probably be one of our most renowned dieticians in the future.





HELEN MUSE

"Teddie" Dental Nurse
Inter Nos Club (3, 4); Bowling (2, 3); Basketball
(2); Wardrobe Committee (4).

"Teddie" is just bubbling over with good will and witty sayings. Her friends all have a good word for her. She says she is to be a dental nurse, but somehow we all know it will be "Sonny".

MADELINE MUSE

"Mousie" Secretary

Madeline, more familiarly known to her classmates as "Mousie" can be characterized by her name. She makes just about as much noise as a mouse. Neither do we see much of her in Wakefield, for her interests seem to center around a certain Stoneham lad. Since "Mousie's" scholastic ability is among the best, we know she'll be a very efficient secretary.

OLIVE MARY MUSE

"Olie" Commercial Artist

"Olie" is another of our attractive seniors whose good taste in clothes has made her outstanding among the well-dressed girls of our class. Her earnest study in art, and the excellent results of her constant work are definite proofs of her artistic ability. Keep up the good work, "Olie", and here's hoping you'll soon be designing greeting cards!

MARTIN L. NERENBERG

"Marty" Tufts Engineering
Interclass Basketball (2, 3); Pin and Ring
Committee (3).

"Marty" came to us from New York and has acquired many steadfast friends. Although diminutive in size, he makes up for this by his good nature and general likable character. Moreover, he played interclass basketball in his second and third year. "Marty" plans to enter Tufts Engineering School, and with his ambitious character, he should succeed.

HELEN MAY NORTON

"Windy"

Business College

Senior Play Committee.

"Windy", so-called because of her streaks of talking, has a pretty smile and a very pleasing personality. She came to us this year from Everett, where she was engaged in many activities. While in Everett, she belonged to several clubs and was the secretary of the sophomore class. Although Ilelen has been here but a short time, she has a great many friends because—well, a certain "Red" says, "She's got everything." May you have a very happy future. Helen.

VINCENT S. NUTILE

"Vinnie"

Tuffs

"Vinnie" nails from that region commonly called Lynnfield. Although he did not participate to any extent in our school activities, his presence in high school was always known. There is never a dull moment when "Vinnie" is around. His constant mirth and fun are a tonic to his classmates and a problem to his teachers. He has acquired many true friends during high school and is well liked by everyone. "Vinnie" plans to enter Tufts College, where his life will be far from dull.

KATHARINE F. NUTT Salutatorian

"Kav"

Undecided

Girls' Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Inter Nos Club (2, 3);
Senior Play Candy Committee.

"Kay" is seemingly one of our quiet, studious girls, and her marks certainly bear this out. But when you know her, she is one of the jolliest girls imaginable, especially in French class. Although her future is undecided, we know that she will be a success in whatever she undertakes.

GILBERT OAKES

"Gillie"

New Hampshire State University Golf (3, 4); Hockey (4).

"Gillie" entered Wakefield High School from the Warren School and was well known and liked by his classmates. He played on the golf team in his third and fourth years, and was in the nets for the hockey six during his Senior year. He plans to enter New Hampshire University, where he'll have ample opportunity to ski. Yes, we know you are a winter sports fan, "Gillie".







ELEANOR O'CONNELL

"Ellie" Massachusetts State College
Basketball (2, 3, 4); Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4);
Junior Director (3); Tennis (3, 4).

"Ellie" appears to be a quiet, reserved, young lady, but don't let appearances deceive you—she has plenty of pep and contributes much to the enjoyment of her many friends. Time is not dull when "Ellie" is present. Her unusual personality, her "good sport" attitude, and her aim to please have won her lasting friends. With her willingness to work and win, "Ellie" will surely succeed in her chosen profession. Best wishes to you, "Ellie".

LORRAINE ESTHER O'DONNELL

"Lorrie" Nurse
Glee Club (4).

From Nova Scotia, Lorraine came to join our ranks, and with her winning personality gained many friends. "Lorrie" has not participated in many of our school activities, but has led a busy life outside of school. She has chosen nursing for her profession—one in which her sunny disposition alone will cure almost any patient.

PAUL OLSTINSKI

"Red" Engineering School

"Red" entered Wakefield High from the Montrose School. Although he has not participated in many school activities, he is known and liked by a large number. "Red" is a constant source of fun for his classmates, but we are not sure the same feeling exists with his teachers.

SVEA HILDA OSTER

Hilda College
Publicity Committee Senior Play: Basketball

Publicity Committee Senior Play; Basketball (1); Inter Nos (2).

"Ililda" has traveled so much and has gone to so many schools that it is hard to say from which school she last came. She was born in the Dutch East Indies, and she has had a very interesting life. She is now one of our Lynnfield Center girls, always smiling and full of fun. She loves dancing and good times. She plans to go to a business college, and if she works as hard in college as she has in high school, we are sure she will be successful. We hope your "Happy Landing" is at the top of the ladder, "Hilda".

JOSEPH JAMES O'TOOLE

"Joe" Bentle

"Joe" came to us from the Warren School, and, although having little time for our school activities, he is known and liked by all. Ilis quiet, good-natured character is an aid in gaining many sincere friendships. "Joe" works as a clerk in the First National Stores and is a model student. We know he will rise to a well-deserved success in the business world.



"Freddy" Boys' Glee Club (2, 3, 4).

"Freddy" came to us from the Woodville School. Although he hasn't taken part in many school activities, he has won many friends through his pleasant disposition and timely helpfulness. We believe that practical jokes are his hobby, so watch out! "Freddy" might play one on you! We know that the Bentley School will be glad to have this hard worker. Sorry to lose you, Fred.

JOHN G. PAULSON

"Sig" Massachusetts Nautical Schoolship
Junior Prom Committee; Hi-Y (3).

John, who used to attend school in Malden, has managed to gain many friends in a comparatively short time. "Sig" plans to enlist on the Massachusetts' Nautical Schoolship, and we know he will rise to prominence on the high seas.

MILDRED ELIZABETH PAULSON

"Polly" Massachusetts State College
Inter Nos Club (3, 4); Glee Club (3); Senior Play
(4); Archery (3, 4); Class Secretary (3); Tennis
(3, 4).

"Polly" came to Wakefield High School from Malden and was elected Secretary of the class in her first year here. She has been very active in school activities and is one of the most popular girls in the Senior class. Her ready smile and pleasant disposition have won her a host of true friends. In her school life, she has been very successful, and we know her college life at Massachusetts State will be a replica.











DOROTHY PERRONE

"Dot" Stenographer

Senior Party Committee; Basketball (1).

"Dot" is a little girl with a big smile and oodles of personality. She has a delightful sense of humor and is always ready to help someone in need. She likes sports and dancing very much. After graduation, she plans to become a stenographer. Her pleasing personality is sure to give her a good start as a stenographer. We hope you have smooth sailing, "Dot".

DOROTHY MAE PETRAS

"Dot" Undecided
Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Senior Play Publicity Committee; Color Committee.

"Dot" is another girl whose appearance belies her real nature. She looks very quiet, but is really a very jolly sort of pal. "Dot" has done a grand job as librarian of the Glee Club for three years. Although she has not definitely decided her future, she would like to become a nurse. We have no doubt that she would prove to be a most successful one. Good luck, "Dot", in whatever you may decide to do.

ALFRED PETRUCCI

"Billo" Undecided
Interclass Basketball (1, 2, 3, 4); Football (2);
Track (3, 4).

"Billo", an industrious young man from the Franklin School, has been quite an addition to our track team. He is also popular with his classmates and well liked by his teachers. Although he is undecided as to his future, he hopes to enter the business world.

ROBERT R. POHL

"Raymonde" Undecided
Football (4); Hi-Y Club (3, 4); Senior Party
Committee (4).

"Raymonde" came to Wakefield from Somerville in the Sophomore year, and we have been glad of it ever since. He is always in search of knowledge, it seems, for his specialty is asking questions. It has been noted that his name has occupied much space in the *Spectator*. His contagious smile and distinctive personality have won many friends, both boys and girls. Best of luck for the future, "Raymonde"!

RALPH J. PRATOLA

"Pro"

Accountant

Glee Club (1, 2).

Ralph comes from the Warren School and has cultivated many sincere friendships during his high school days. He has not been active in many of our school sports but has striven mightily for a start in his chosen future of accounting. His wry smile and ever-present flow of vitality make him popular and well-liked. "Pro" is a hard-worker and will reach his goal.

GRETHEL ZENAIDA PREBLE

"Queenie"

University of New Hampshire
Inter Nos (2, 3, 4); Corresponding Secretary
Inter Nos (3); Recording Secretary (4); Basketball (2, 3); Tennis (3); Cheerleader (4); Senior
Play Understudy.

"Queenie" is one of our very pretty, hard-working classmates. Always up in her studies, Grethel has found plenty of time to hold important offices in the Inter Nos Club as well as to participate in athletics. She has helped in the cheering at football games, for she is one of our most industrious cheerleaders. Possessing a pleasing personality, "Queenie" has those charms that attract members of the opposite sex. Only one seems to have caught her eye, however, and that is none other than her fellow cheerleader, Bill Meuse. So you're heading for N. H. U., Greth? You'll make good, we know!

GERTRUDE MARION PRECOURT

"Gert"

Chemist's Assistant

Hockey (2); Bowling (2); Inter Nos Club (2); Candy Committee (4).

"Gert" has a charming personality that has won her many friends. She is well up in her studies, and she loves science. We wish her much happiness and success in her work as a chemist's assistant. Write to us, "Gert"; we'll answer.

PHYLLIS PRINCE

"Phyl"

Boston University

Senior Play Committee (4).

"Phyl" is capable, energetic, and kind. Although she will have a long and tedious climb, her ambition to become a proficient private secretary will be fulfilled. Even a fussy boss could not ruffle her composure. We'll remember you, "Phyl".











"Lou" Undecided
Glee Club (1); Basketball (1); Interclass Basketball (2, 3, 4); Interclass Football (1, 2, 3, 4);
Baseball (1, 2, 3, 4); Track (4).

"Lou" is one of our modest lads. He has been interested in many sports, especially baseball, in which he excels. "Lou" was captain of the team his Senior year, no doubt because of his likable qualities which have won him many friends, and his unusual playing ability. Louis is one of those bright boys with whom business and pleasure agree, for aside from his athletic achievements, he has maintained good scholastic standing. Here's to you, Louis.



ANNE RAUSTIS

"Annie" Typist

"Annie" came to us from the Lincoln School, and although
she has not taken part in many of our activities, we know
that she is as popular and happy among her own friends as
she could wish to be. Secretarial work is well suited to her,

and as a typist, we expect her to be a success.



ROBERT REED

"Bubone" Undecided

Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Hi-Y Club (2, 3, 4); Hockey (4); Property Manager, Senior Play (4).

When the Hurd School sent us "Bubone", they surely didn't realize what they were losing. Yet, Bubone was headed for something higher; so of course, he came to lend his companionship to us. "Bubone" is one of those true "swingsters" you read so much about. The Band has had him for four years, but watch the orchestra when he plays, and beware of "Sugar Blues". We've got you lined up, "Bubone". Here's wishing you the best of everything.



MARGARET REEVES

"Miggie" Fisher's Machine School
Senior Play Committee (4).

"Miggie" hails from Reading, but she has become popular in Wakefield. Still we do not see as much of her in Wakefield as we should like, and we believe that she has a certain interest in Melrose. Her practical jokes and smile make her a pleasant girl to know. Good luck, "Miggie".

PHYLLIS EVELYN REID

"Phil"

Dress Designer

English Club (2).

"Phil", who has been too busy working to engage in school activities, is one of our happy-go-lucky girls. She especially likes sports and dancing. Although she does not attend many Wakefield dances, she is an ardent supporter of out-of-town dances, particularly Melrose. There seems to be quite an interest down there! "Phil" attended the Dame School in Medford and plans to be a dress designer after graduation. Good luck, "Phil".

EARL RICHARD

"Richie"

Undecided

Track (3).

"Richie", another Greenwoodite, is one of the few quiet and reserved members of our class. Although he has little to say, we all know that with his keen sense of humor and fine personality, he will have little trouble in finding a successful position in the business world. If you continue to uphold your reputation as a conscientious student, "Richie", success is bound to be yours.

DOROTHY RILEY

"Dot"

Secretary

Basketball (2, 3, 4); Field Hockey (2, 3, 4); Senior Play (4); Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4).

"Dot" came to the Wakefield High School from Woodville. You need only to ask for a cheery, peppy, and active girl, and "Dot" is right with you. She has been a faithful and successful basketball player for three years. As for the Senior Play, who could forget "Pidge", a member of that distinctive society, "The Secret Seven"? Your life is bound to be eventful, "Dot", and we wish you luck as a secretary.

JOHN RILEY

"Rip"

U. S. Navy

"Variety is the spice of life," and in our class we have both tall and short. But what "Rip" lacks in size, he makes up in energy and good fun. "Rip's" keen sense of humor and friendly disposition make him well known among his classmates. When he joins the navy, we know he'll be a sport.









THEODORE ROBBINS

"Teddy" Mechanical Engineering

"Teddy", who came to Wakefield High from Stoneham, always wears a cheerful, pleasing smile. Although he has not taken part in many of our school activities, "Teddy" is an active chap outside of school. We know that he will succeed as a mechanical engineer and join in wishing him much luck in his chosen field.



HERBERT ROBERTS

"Rud" Undecided

"Bud", who comes from the Warren School, has not taken part in many of our school activities; but he surely can drive that snappy 'Olds' around. He has a rather shy nature but can enjoy a good time as well as the rest of us.



NATALLE ROBINSON

"Nat" Lesley School

Basketball (2); Bowling (2); Inter Nos Club (2, 4); Junior Prom Committee; Senior Play Executive Committee.

Four years ago, the Ilurd School sent us a tall, vivacious, and pretty young lady answering to the name of "Nat". She is one of the leaders of the class. "Nat" has "Educated Feet" and, for that reason is always seen at the school dances "truckin on down." Natalie plans to go to the Lesley School and major in dietetics. We wish you luck, "Nat".



JANET ROCKWOOD

"Jan" Colby Junior College Basketball (1, 2); Inter Nos (2); Golf (2); Archery (2, 3); Junior Prom Committee; Bowling (3, 4); Senior Play Property Committee; Library Council Club (4); Yearbook Staff (4).

"Jan" is one of those quiet, likable girls with the best disposition imaginable, and the kind of hair and eyes you dream about. "Jan" has been in many activities in school, and her charming manner—only one of her assets—has won

her a large circle of admirers. She is heading for Colby Junior College. Best of luck in your future plans, "Jan"

ANDREW ROMBULT

"Andy" Undecided

"Andy" Rombult is a well-liked quiet youth from Lynnfield. "Andy" is undecided about the future, but his sunny disposition should bring him to the top of the heap.

MARIANNE RYAN

"Mary" Undecided

Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4); Junior Prom Committee; Senior Play Cast; *Spectator* Staff (4); Glee Club (2); Basketball (3); Bowling (3); Archery (3); Tennis (2, 3).

"Mary" comes from that Greenwood family which is famous for its talented actors and actresses. "Mary" kept up the Ryan traditions by being cast in our Senior Play and doing an excellent piece of work. She "went literary" this year, too, and labored diligently on the Hi-Y Spectator Staff. Without Mary's sunny disposition and untiring wit, life would indeed be monotonous for her classmates and the teachers.

MARY L. SAUNDERS

Stenographer

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Field flockey (2); Basketball (2, 3); Bowling (2, 3).

Mary is so unassuming that few of us know her well. However, those of us who are fortunate enough to be numbered among her intimate friends, appreciate her splendid qualities. She is just the type of girl for a stenographer—quiet and efficient.

ADA MAUDE SCHEFISCH

"Adie"

Senior Play Committee.

"Adie", one of Lynnfield's chosen, is to most, a quiet, retiring little girl; but to those who know her best, she is full of fun, and as witty a companion as one ever had. Possessing likable qualities, a good sense of humor, and a willingness to share her humor, Ada has endeared herself to many. We know you'll be one of the best stenographers, Ada.









"Bob" Trinity College
Orchestra (1, 2, 3, 4); Band (1, 2, 3, 4); Hi-Y
(2, 3, 4); Senior Party Committee.

"Bob" is one of our quiet, good-natured fellows. He has played the clarinet for several years and has performed in both the band and in the orchestra. Moreover, he has assisted Mr. Fanck by giving lessons to beginners. His school work has been excellent, and we hope it will continue to be so at Trinity College. If we may venture to prophesy, we think that "Bob" will be famous some day.



ALICE HAMBLEN SEDGLEY

"Alicia" Stenographer

Senior Party Committee.

Although Alice is one of the quiet members of the class, she does not hesitate to assert herself in commercial department. She possesses an independent spirit which should help her in the business world. Here's to success, "Alicia"!

KENNETH F. SHAW

"Hawk-Shaw" Aeronautical Engineer, U. S. N.
Interclass Basketball (1, 2, 3); Cross Country
(2, 3); Track (2, 3, 4) Interclass Football (2);
Assistant Electrician, Senior Play.

"Hawk-Shaw", a product of Greenwood, has been quite active in school sports, especially track. Known for his humor and practical jokes, Kenneth has been more concerned with good times than his school work. He is going to be an aeronautical engineer, and if he tackles this position with the enthusiasm for which he is noted, we are sure he will be very successful.



ROBERT J. SIMMONS

"Bob" Boston University—Business Administration
Cross Country (2, 3); Senior Play Property
Committee.

"Bob" is another Greenwood lad, and although he seems quiet, those who are acquainted with his subtle jokes realize that he is clever. He is a good student and possesses an excellent character. With these assets he will succeed in business. Don't let us down, "Bob"!

SHIRLEY F. SIMPSON

"Wally" Boston University

Yearbook Staff (4); Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4); Cochairman Wardrobe Committee Senior Play (4); Basketball (2, 3); Golf (2); Track (4).

"Wally", that "Lovely Lady from Lynnfield", has certainly given the Wakefield lads and lasses a favorable impression of the "woods of Lynnfield". Her stunning looks, combined with her excellent taste in clothes, has placed her high among the fashionable young misses of our class. Her charming personality and sincere understanding have made her a favorite everywhere. Our "Keyhole" reporter has this exclusive bit of information that "Wally" was last seen at the Stoneham Zoo, gazing rapturously at the "Monk"ey. Aha, "Wally"!

FRANK SPANG

"Smoothie" . College

Junior Prom Committee (3); Ilockey (4); Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Ili-Y Club (2, 3, 4); Vice-President, Ili-Y Club (4); Senior Play Cast; Spectator Staff (4). Yearbook Business Manager.

"Smoothie", a graduate of St. Joseph's Parochial School, is as his record shows, one of our most versatile classmates. His sincerity and cheerfulness make us all feel that he will be a positive success. A diligent scholar, a real gentleman, a fine athlete, a true friend, and a "regular" fellow is "Smoothie". Such is our recommendation to whatever college he may choose.

WILLIAM FRANKLIN SPARKS

"Bill" Coast Guard
Football (3); Junior Prom Committee (3);
Basketball (4); Hi-Y Club (4).

Long and lanky, that's "Bill"—one of the best liked members of his class. He came to us from the Warren School and has played a prominent part in school activities, especially during his Senior year, when he distinguished himself as one of our most valuable basketball players. "Bill" is one of the best-looking boys in our senior class and has captured more than one of the feminine hearts. You can always find "Bill" "Dodge"ing around Lynnfield. If he concentrates on his profession as he has certain other things, we know he'll surely succeed. All joking aside, "Bill" is a great pal!

JOHN SPIBY

"Rip" Undecided
Football (1, 2); Track (1).

"Rip" joined us after he had attended the Warren School. His even temper and cheerful disposition have made him popular with his classmates. John is undecided as to what he will do in the future. We think he'll become a business man. No charge for the advice, "Rip".









ANNE LOUISE STANISKI

"Annie"

Wilfred Academy

"Annie's" sole ambition is to become a hairdresser, and most of her time is spent in preparing for her chosen vocation. Although "Annie" is quiet in school, she is active and joyful outside. She is so happy-go-lucky and carefree that she seldom becomes excited over anything. We all expect her to become an excellent beautician and anticipate the day when she establishes her shop.

DELMA STAPLES

"Del"

Undecided

Field Hockey (2).

"Del" is a graduate of the Greenwood School. She is a quiet, unassuming girl, and a diligent worker. We have enjoyed her company in school, as well as outside, and we know that with her genial manner, and her ability, she will be successful in the future.

MARGARET CAMPBELL STEWART

"Peggy"

Undecided

Basketball (2): Bowling (2): Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4); Glee Club (3); Pin and Ring Committee (3); Chairman, Candy Committee (4); Archery (4).

Here is another "Peggy" who is always willing to help in school activities. Her executive ability was demonstrated by the way in which she managed the Candy Committee for the Senior Play—well done, "Peggy". We know that you will be successful in whatever you undertake.

PHYLLIS STONE

"Phyl"

Lesley School

Basketball (2, 3); Baseball (3); Inter Nos (2, 3); Track (3, 4); Senior Play Cast.

Phyllis joined us after attending the Lynnfield Center Grammar School. She is one of the best-natured and most popular girls in our class. "Phyl" has participated in many of our school activities, among them being the Senior Play. "Phyl" often reads as many as five books a week. This pet diversion is probably based on the fact that a book has lots of "Pages". "Phyl's" congenial nature will win her many friends at Lesley.

DOROTHY VIRGINIA SURETTE

"Dot" Stenography
Glee Club (2); Baseball (3); Bowling (4); Senior
Play.

"Dot" is just another proof of the old saying that good things come in small packages. This petite brunette has made herself very well liked these past four years, and we certainly congratulate the lucky business man whose secretary she will become.

EDITH MARGARET TAYLOR

"Edie" Hairdresser
Field Hockey (2, 3); Bowling (2, 3); Inter Nos
Club (2, 3).

"Edie" joined us after attending the Lincoln Grammar School. She has led rather a quiet life during high school; therefore we have not been able to know her as we should like to. "Edie" intends to study hairdressing. From the appearance of her own hair, we know that she is well qualified to do this kind of work. Good luck, "Edie".

NORMA TEAGUE

"Norm"

Lesley School
Basketball (2); Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4); Corresponding Secretary, Inter Nos (4); Archery (3);
Senior Play Wardrobe Chairman (4).

Norma, one of our most popular Senior girls, has a ready smile for everyone. She has displayed much interest in the Inter Nos Club and school sports. It takes something like a little curl standing on end on the top of someone's head, to put "Norm" in gales of laughter. Norma plans to be a dietician, and we all wish her the best of luck. We know that her formula will always be "Keep Smiling."

AUGUSTINE FRANK TECCE

"Gus" Undecided
Basketball (2); Track (2); Football (2, 3, 4);
Senior Play.

"Gus" is one of the most popular members of the Class of 1938. He is well known for his personality and his athletic ability. "Gus" is the scrappy little center of this year's football team, and all who watched him can vouch for his courage. He is always surrounded by his friends, and we feel that where he goes, he will be a credit to Wakefield High!





MARY LUCY TECCE

"Teccie" Boston City Hospital
Basketball (1, 2, 3); Tennis (3); Senior Party
Committee.

Jolly little Mary, known to her closest friends as "Teccie", will be a great addition to any hospital, for she hopes to be a nurse. Always smiling, Mary is one of those people you can't help liking. Because she works outside school, Mary has little time for school activities except basketball, a sport in which she starred. Brother to our football center, "Gus", Mary is an expert dancer. As a nurse, she has our vote.

MARJORY THISTLE

"Margie" Burroughs Machine School
Glee Club (2); Chairman Senior Play Property
Committee.

Marjory, who moved here from Woburn in her sophomore year, has a quiet manner of doing things, but one can be assured of steady, thorough work if "Margie" does the job. She handled the Senior Play Property Committee easily and efficiently. Her capability will aid her greatly in carrying out her future plans.

JOHN THOMPSON

"Johnny" Forestry

The Greenwood School sent John to us. This boy loves to tramp through the woods, he also enjoys fishing. Although he has not participated in many school activities, he has made many friends in school. We think you will make a good forester, John, and may your sylvan adventures be successful.

WILLIAM LEDD THOMPSON, JR.

"Billy" Harvard Cross Country (2, 3, 4); Band (1, 2, 3, 4).

From Greenwood comes smiling "Billy" Thompson, whose sparkling eyes betray the keen sense of humor which lies behind them. Although he is of slight stature, this boy has a pair of legs which have carried him over hill and dale with the cross country team for three years. He is a natural runner and performs with the smoothness which identifies a good runner. He was elected co-captain of the cross country team during his last year. For four years he has been a member of the band, and a familiar sight playing at football games. He leaves school with a sunny disposition and a sense of optimism which ought to overcome any obstacles which may confront him in life.

CONCETTO TINE

"See"

Undecided

Varsity Football (2, 4).

Although he is not loquacious, "See" is one of the friendliest boys in school. He is the kind that is a true friend through thick and thin, and not at all of the fair weather variety. In his sophomore year he went out for football and made the squad; again in his Senior year he was a candidate. Because of his muscular build, he developed into one of the best tackles on the second team and played sterling football throughout the entire season. His fine character of play was recognized and he received the numerals which he justly deserved. We understand that you are undecided about your choice of a life work. "See", but if you keep at it, we know that Lady Luck will smile upon you.



CATHERINE M. TITUS

"Kay"

"Kay" came to Wakefield High School from Greenwood. She is small in stature, but she rates big with all who know her. "Kay" is always good-natured and willing to help her classmates. Her pet diversion is going to the movies on Tuesday with her ever-present pal, Phyllis. Best of all, she is a good listener. No wonder we like her!



FRANK A. TREDINNICK, JR.

"Sandy" Middlebury Junior Prom Committee (3); Senior Play; Associate Editor, Spectator (3); Editor-in-Chief, Spectator (4); Secretary, Hi-Y Club (4); W. H. S. Sports Reporter (4); Manager. Tennis Team (3); Manager, Hockey Team (4); Vearbook Staff (4); Interclass Basketball (3); Interclass Football



(4). "Sandy" is everyone's pal. His success in editing the Spectator, his interpretation of the leading part in the Senior Play, his popular manner of writing for the *Item*, and his interest in sports have marked his abilities as being unique; and we have only to count his friends to see that his achievements have been more than material. Wherever he goes and whatever he does, his cheery disposition and pleasing personality will remain in our minds. May your present success ever follow you, "Sandy".

GEORGE EDWARD TREMBLAY

"G. E."

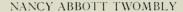
Navigation School

Glee Club (3, 4).

Edward is the kind of fellow who is quiet in a crowd, but when you know him, he is a likable chap. His mind is always on boats of all kinds, especially steamboats, and if he can navigate a boat as well as he can draw one, he will be another successful Greenwood man from W. H. S. Well, "G. E.", we hope that some day we'll sail across the ocean blue in one of the "G. E. T. Steamship Line's" boats.







"Nan" Wheaton College

Golf (2); Basketball (2, 3); Inter Nos Club (2, 3, 4); Treasurer (3); Attendance Officer (4); Senior Play Cast; Yearbook Staff.

Everyone knows "Nan", one of the most versatile members of our class. She is an accomplished pianist and is always willing to play. We shall remember her charming portrayal of Mrs. Hollis in the Senior Play and her unfailing skill in basketball. Her ability in her studies must be a rare treat to her teachers. We know that she will be successful and happy at Wheaton.



MARGERY RUTH TYLER

"Margie"
Inter Nos (2, 3); Bowling (2, 3); Basketball (3);
Golf_(2); Baseball (2); Archery (3); Senior Play

Golf (2); Baseball (2); Archery (3); Senior Play Property Committee; Yearbook Staff (4). "Margie" is that cute little red-head from Greeny

"Margie" is that cute little red-head from Greenwood-you all know her! She has been busy not only in high school activities, but also in making friends. In both fields she certainly has succeeded. We know you will be just as fortunate in nursing, "Margie", and your patients certainly will be lucky ones.

PATRICK WALSH

"Pat"

Undecided

Football (1, 2, 3, 4); Baseball (1, 2).

"Pat", a graduate of St. Joseph's Parochial School, is as fond of the Irish as they are of him. "Pat" has been a stellar halfback on our football teams for the past two years, and he has given us many thrills on the gridiron. Whatever you may choose to do, "Pat", may our wish of success and happiness be yours.



JOHN WARNER

"Johnnie"

Undecided

Baskethall (2, 3); Hi-Y Club (2, 3, 4); Hi-Y Spectator Staff (2, 3, 4); Senior Play Executive Committee; Senior Play Electrician; Lunchroom (4).

John is easily the most diligent worker in our class, and he is a most willing one at that. He believes that if you want a thing done correctly, you must do it yourself. He is the type of fellow who is willing to do more than his own share. John is such a likable lad that wherever he may go, whatever he may do, he will show us the road to success.

MARJORIE WELLS

"Midge" Undecided

Basketball (2); Field Hockey (2); Girl's Glee Club (2, 3, 4).

Short, sweet, and sensible, "Midge" is the envy of her classmates and a credit to her school. Although she is one of the smallest girls in our class, she has a delightful and charming voice. Anyone who has not heard "Midge" sing has much to look forward to. We hope that your musical future is a glorious one, "Midge".

RUTH WELLS

"Ruthie" Secretarial Work

Field Hockey (2); Girls' Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Candy Committee, Senior Play.

Hard work and pleasure constitute the daily life of Ruth. She has a liking for music which is centered in singing and piano-playing. Ruth is quiet and unassuming, but at the same time is a pleasant companion. From the Lincoln School to Wakefield High School, and then to secretarial work is a good start in life, "Ruthie".

VIRGINIA WHEELER

"Ginny" Forsyth Dental School
Inter Nos (2, 3, 4); Inter Nos Board (4); Golf
(2); Basketball (2, 3); Track (3); Bowling (4);
Archery (3); Tennis (3, 4).

So "Ginny" from Greenwood plans to do dental work! She will do it well with her calmness and diligence. Her smile is a winning feature, and always assures us of a cheerful, joking remark. "Ginny" has been active in sports. If you hurry with your dentistry, Virginia, we'll patronize you by allowing you to fill our next cavity.

KENNETH WHIPLING Honor Pupil

"Ken" Bentley School of Accounting
Football (1, 2); Baseball (1, 2); Interclass Basketball (1, 2); Hockey (4); Yearbook Staff (4); Class

ball (1, 2); Hockey (4); Yearbook Staff (4); Class Color Committee (3); Emergency Crew (4).

Although "Ken" has many outside interests, he found time after his graduation from the Hurd Grammar School to earn our respect and admiration. His most gracious manner has won him many friends in his past four years with us. Good luck to you in your chosen field, "Ken". We must add that we expect fine things from you, so don't fail us.





JOHN R. WHITFORD

"Speed" Electrical Engineering Hi-Y Club (3, 4); Track (2, 3, 4); Cross Country (2, 3); Senior Play Electrician (4).

John received his grammar school education at the Lincoln School. At present, "Speed" is one of Wakefield's most conscientious runners. His teachers wouldn't know what to do if he gave his recitation in a loud voice. Although John probably won't be an orator, we know he will be successful as an electrical engineer.



EVELYN WIHTNEY

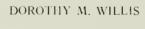
"Evie" Secretary Basketball (2, 3, 4); Field Hockey (2, 3, 4); Bowling (2, 3, 4); Publicity Committee (4).

Although "Evie" is just a little girl, her athletic ability is remarkable. She has participated in many sports during her last three years at W. H. S. and has been active in committee work. Her sparkling eyes and sweet smile have made her a favorite with all of her fellow students, as well as some out-of-town students of the opposite sex. Due to perseverance in her school work, "Evie" will make an excellent secretary.

TUNE WHITNEY

"Juna" Business Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Senior Play Property Committee.

This ray of sunshine was a gift to us from the Montrose School. "Juna" is recognized by her cheery disposition and likable personality. Although "Juna" is one of the quiet members of the class, her mirth-provoking qualities are well known by her close friends. We are sure she will keep some office staff in constant good humor.



Candy Committee (4).

Lexington sent Dorothy to us. Since her arrival, she has made many friends. Her service to the social functions has been invaluable. With her delightful personality, she should go far. Happy landings, "Dordy"!

Undecided

"Dordy"



GLADYS WILSON

"Glady" Pierce's Secretarial School
Glee Club (2, 3); Inter Nos Club (4); Senior Play
Understudy: Chairman of Publicity Committee

(4).

Wherever there is liveliness, there is Gladys. She is one of the most energetic and cheerful girls of the class. Her business ability, as was shown by her successful endeavor as co-chairman of the Publicity Committee of the Senior Play, will be of great advantage in her future life. Perhaps she'll be our state treasurer some day. You have our vote, Gladys.



DONALD WOOD

"Splinter" Undecided

"Splinter" has won fame for his abilities as a scientist, since he takes chemistry and physics work seriously. He is a hard and sincere worker and has an interesting personality. His friends enjoy him because he is always willing to do a favor. Your classmates wish you good luck, "Woody".



ERNESTINE LORETTA WOOD

"Ernie"

Interior Decorator

Inter Nos Club (3, 4); Glee Club (3, 4); Senior Play Extra (4); Property Committee (4).

"Ernie" comes from Everett. She is a quiet unassuming girl who has made many friends in Wakefield High School through her cordial manner. During her high school career, "Ernie" has been active in club and committee work. She has chosen interior decorating for her future career, a profession in which she will become famous, we think. "Ernie", don't forget W. H. S.!



JOHN H. WOODHULL

"Johnnie"

Business College
Football (3, 4); Glee Club (1, 2); Basketball
(1, 3); Hi-Y Club (4); Yearbook Staff (4); Interclass Basketball (3, 4); Senior Play Usher (4).
One of the most conscientious students in this year's class

One of the most conscientious students in this year's class is John Woodhull. Although he is socially active, his name is frequently seen on the honor roll, and he excels in all of his studies. "Johnnie" has a pleasant singing voice, and he was a member of the Glee Club as a freshman and sophomore. He joined the Hi-Y Club in his last year. Later in the year he was an usher at the Senior Play, and in the winter, he was elected to the Yearbook Staff. He has an attractive personality and is naturally friendly. Because of his diligence and sense of responsibility we know that he will make his life a success.







"Ginger" Boston Secretarial School
Basketball (2, 3); Hockey (2, 3); Tennis (3);
Bowling (3).

Virginia, a graduate of St. Joseph's Parochial School, has been unassuming and retiring during her high school years. However, her friends tell us that when we really know "Ginger", we shall find that she has a grand sense of humor and is always ready to laugh. We hope her future at secretarial school will be as successful as her W. 11. S. career has been.

HENRIETTA YAZINKA

"Henka" Undecided
Field Hockey (2, 3, 4); Basketball (2, 3, 4);
Bowling (4); Archery (4); Inter Nos Club (4).

"Henka's" popularity has gained great headway in the four years she has spent with us. She is a willing worker and always ready to help anyone who needs assistance. Her plans for the future are as yet undecided, but we know that victory will be hers.



SOPHIE YAZINKA

"Sopb" Undecided

Hockey (2, 3, 4); Basketball (2, 3, 4); Usher and Candy Committee (4); Baseball (3); Tennis (3).

"Soph" is one of the little blondes in our Senior Class She has been very much interested in sports, as you realize from her activities. Whenever you see her in school, she reminds you of the serious type, but we all know that outside she is just loads of fun. "Soph" is undecided about her future, but if she holds her friendly disposition, she is sure to win.

DORIS MILLS CLIMO

"Dot" Undecided

Hockey (2); Basketball (3); Glee Club (2, 3, 4).

"Dot" is a very small brunette, but in this case a lot of energy is done up in a small package. Although she has not been very active in school sports, she has succeeded in winning for herself a host of friends. We know that her gracious manner will carry her far in any profession she may choose.

LOUIS G. CLIMO

"Lulu" Undecided

Basketball (3, 4); Interclass Football (3, 4); Baseball (3).

"Lulu", a graduate of the Franklin Grammar School, has lived up to the example set by his illustrious family. He is a happy-go-lucky fellow, but also one who assumes his responsibilities. No doubt we shall hear from him in later life, and we know he will let us share in whatever his success may be.

FLORENCE CRAGIN

"Tish" Nursing

Class Color Committee (3); Senior Play Executive Committee; Dean's Office (4); Property Committee (4); Inter Nos Club (4).

One of the popular members of our class is a vivacious, peppy person known to us all as "Tish". She is a "Sophisticated Lady", who is "A Little Bit Independent" when dancing at one of our school affairs. She is a diligent worker and is bound to succeed. Nursing is to be her career in later life; so here's wishing you luck, "Tish".

WILLIAM DENNETT

"Buddy"

U. S. Navy

Glee Club (1, 2, 3).

"Buddy" joined us after attending the Franklin School. Although he has led a rather retiring school life, we know that he is popular among his friends. "Buddy" is quiet and unobtrusive, but he is a willing worker. We hope he will enjoy the active life in the United States Navy.

BERNICE FRAUGHTON

"Bunny"

Nurse

"Bunny" is a happy-go-lucky lass from the Franklin School. She is always smiling; in fact her cheery disposition will aid her immensely in the great profession she has chosen. If we ever need a nurse, will you be ours, "Bunny"?

BRADFORD FRAUTTEN

"Brad"

Undecided

Cross Country (3); Track (3).

Although "Brad" has not taken part in our social activities, he is still very popular in our class. He is a reserved chap; yet he is resourceful. He has that deceiving twinkle in his eyes. Look out, girls! "Still water runs deep."

FREDERICK JOHNSON Honor Pupil

"Red"

Undecided

"Red" is a bright lad from the Franklin School. He has not attracted much attention while in High School, but has been quietly acquiring a fine education. Some day, in the near future, we hope to read in the newspapers about "Red" as the local boy who made good.

EDWARD A. KOHLER

"Eddie"

Art School

Senior Play Committee (4).

"Eddie" came to us from the Franklin School. Although the has not taken an active part in school functions, his quiet manner and his genial personality will endear him to all his future associates. May you be successful in your chosen profession, Eddie.

PAUL EDWIN LALLY

"Red" Orchestra Leader

Glee Club (3, 4); Interclass Basketball (3).

Who's the boy with the rhythm? Paul Lally, of course. Paul is a rambling swingster from the Lincoln Grammar School, and he is one of our outstanding classmates. "Red" hopes to be an orchestra leader. Knowing him, we can say that his pleasing personality, coupled with his knowledge of music, will do a great deal in making "Red's" orchestra tops!

JOSEPH LAURINO

"Joe" Undecided

Football (1, 2).

"Joe" went out for football during his freshman and sophomore years, but he then decided to put his time to a better use—working. He is most noted as a snappy dresser and as a skillful automobile operator. "Joe's" neat appearance and candid personality will certainly serve him well in whatever field he chooses to explore.

STEPHEN J. MACDONALD

"Whacker" Undecided

Hockey (4).

A cheerful, happy-go-lucky chap—that's "Whacker". "Whacker" came to us from St. Joseph's Parochial School. lle has been one of the mainstops on our hockey team. "Whacker" is as yet undecided concerning the future, but his forceful personality should bring him success in whatever he attempts. We are all rooting for you, "Whacker"!

MAXINE ANN McNAMARA

"Mac" Dramatic School

Inter Nos (2); Senior Play Understudy (4).

"Mac" comes from South Lynnfield and is beyond a doubt one of our most jovial seniors. "Mac", however, often finds that her sense of humor is not appreciated by her teachers during school hours. We are all for you, Maxine, and we hope that you will always have such a cheerful disposition.

SHIRLEY NICKERSON

"Nicky"

Hairdresser

Glee Club (3, 4).

"Nicky" received her grammar school training in Medford, coming to us in her junior year. With her winning personality, she has gained many new and lasting friendships. "Nicky" is an industrious type of person, and as a hairdresser she should be successful. Goodbye, "Nicky", we'll not forget you.

ERNESTINE N. ROSE

"Teenie"

Undecided

Candy Committee (4).

"Teenie" attended the Greenwood Grammar School before entering Wakefield High. Although she has red hair, she does not possess any of the characteristics attributed to a redhaired person. She is a friendly girl with an even temper. Although "Teenie" has not participated in many school activities, she is popular in her own group.

SEBASTIAN TINE

"Seb"

Tufts College

One of the reserved members of our class is "Seb" Tine, who comes from the Lincoln School. Although "Seb" has not participated in many of our school functions, he is extremely popular with all who know him. We are sure that "Seb" will be a success at Tufts.

LAWRENCE A. WADE

"Larry"

Undecided

Glee Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Senior Party Committee (4).

"Larry" is an unobtrusive member of our class who comes from Greenwood. "Larry" can always be found at every Glee Club rehearsal. He is a popular boy with numerous friends, and we know that he will be a success in whatever form of business he chooses.

HAZEL WORTERS

"Haze" Undecided

Bowling (2); Class Pin and Ring Committee (3).

This Greenwood miss seems very bashful while in school, but we understand that she has plenty of pep when she is outside. "Haze" is undecided as to what career she will follow, but she is sure to succeed, for she is a conscientious and diligent worker.

ZENON ZAGAJA

"Chick" Undecided

Senior Pin and Ring Committee; Senior Play Emergency Committee.

Although many of us don't know how to pronounce his name, "Chick" is a popular member of our class. The Franklin School sent a very pleasing personality when they sent us "Chick". He showed fine discrimination in his work on the Pin and Ring Committee. We are sure that his splendid qualities will render him successful in whatever his chosen work might be.



SENIOR PLAY CAST
Left to right, Front Row: W. Dufault, B. Griffiths, F. Trednnick, B. Smith, R. King, N. Twombly, J. Barry, B. Kimball, F. Spang
Second Row: M. Paulson, P. Stone, M. Ryan, D. Riley, M. Ayer, E. Allen, D. Surrette
Third Row: H. Habeimann, E. Woods, M. MacNamara, M. Costello, J. Brady, K. Merrill, B. Guillow, G. Wilson, E. Habeimann
Back Row: W. Blanchard, W. Flint, R. Burke, H. McConville, G. Kimball

The Senior Play

"Life Begins at Sixteen", a comedy in three acts by Hilda Manning, was presented by members of the Senior Class, Friday evening, December 10, 1937, in the High School Auditorium, under the direction of Miss Barbara Gerry.

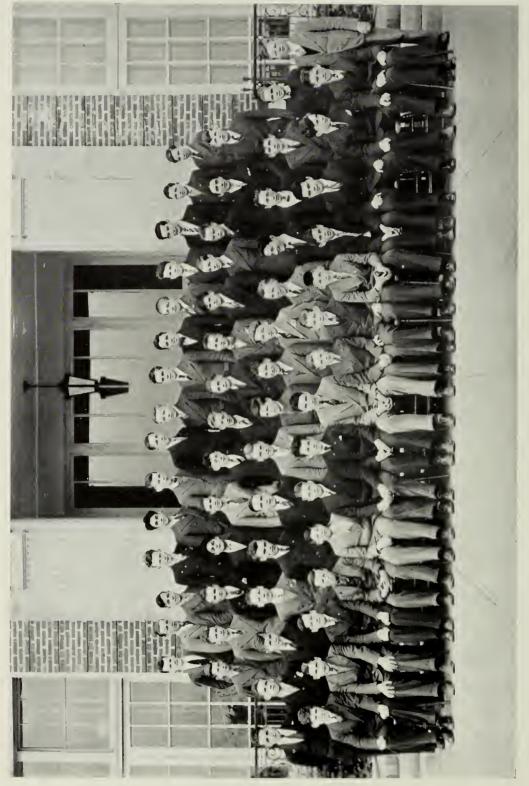
Mrs. Hollis, mother of the sixteen-year-old twins, Paul and Frannie, had won a radio contest for naming a beauty soap. The reward was a trip to Havana for herself and her husband. During their absence, Paul caused the Hollis Shoe Store to "go modern", with an orchestra, living models, handbills, and so on. He set out to prove that the fiance of his nineteen-year-old sister, Marjorie, was a racketeer. The "Secret Seven", a society of sixteen-year-olds, of which Paul was president, assisted him in his scheme.

The players were all very natural, and each one was well suited to his part.

The play was probably the most successful one to date, and the auditorium was filled to capacity. Much praise may be given to Miss Gerry, the efficient director.

THE PLAYERS

Paul Hollis Hilda	
Mrs. Hollis	
Mr. Hollis	Robert King
Frannie Hollis	. Barbara Smith
Marjorie Hollis	Betty Kimball
Crandall Smythe	William Dufault
George Gordan	Frank Spang
Snookie Hollis	Betsy Griffiths
Theo Arbuckle	John Barry
Pidgie Miller	Dorothy Riley
Fattie Zimmer	James Brady
Daisy Jenkins	Marianne Ryan
Boots Bennett	
Elsie Taggart	



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Dolbeare, R. Allen, R. Parker, R. Landberg, W. Hollett, colo, L. Marshall, J. Hatch L. Farwell, G. Winters, H. Barron, L. Moore, H. Christie, H. Tiberio, H. Learned, C. Ham, L. Daley, N. Brown, W. Weston, W. Knipe, J. Thompson, S. Steeves, A. Doucette, R. Storti, W. Bill, R. Travis Russell Back Row: S. Paulson, M. Carter, E. Seero, W. Blanchard, B. Falabella, C. Brown, J. Third Row: R. Jackman, W. Collins, G. Tremblay, G. Falabella, R. Brown. Second Row: K. Grout, R. Reid, C. Leather, G. Farrar, L. Wad Left to right. Front Row: W. McKenna, G. Casper, R. Ch.

Boys' Glee Club One could not wish to hear a finer group of young men's voices than those of the Wakefield High School Boys' Glee Club. Under the efficient direction of Mr. Arthur Fulton, these boys have become proficient in the art of singing. Mr. Fulton spends two afternoons every week in rehearsing the senior and junior groups, comprising approximately fifty boys. In December, a concert was given at Christmas with the Girls' Glee Club; in February, the club sang at a meeting of the Kosmos Club and in May, the combined Boys' and Girls' Clubs presented a Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "Trial by Jury", a dramatic cantata in one act. To Mr. Fulton we extend our best wishes for another successful year.

Girls' Glee Club

The first public performance of the glee clubs this year was the annual Christmas concert, during which several members of the Class of 1938 were featured as soloists: Holly Cobb, Mildred Halliday and Marjorie Wells, president of the Senior Club. Miss Marjorie Pedersen, harpist, of New York City, was the guest artist at both the assembly given in the morning for the upper classmen and at the evening concert. The use of the electric "Orgatron", played by Miss Edna Parks, our new director, as accompaniment for the combined choruses—particularly the excerpts from the Messiah—helped to make this the best concert yet given by the four singing organizations of the high school.

The combined glee clubs plan to produce an operetta some time in May. The cast has not been announced at this date, but much competition promises success for the venture.

The officers are as follows:

President—Marjorie Wells
Vice-President—Lillian Thrush
Secretary—Fanny Hovey
Treasurer—Fanny Hovey
Librarians—
(Charlotte Dodge



GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

Left to right, First Row: Josephine Minardi, Nancy Guiliano, Mary G. Luciano, Mary L. Luciano, Mary B. Luciano, Mary Bears, Iva Andrews, Yolanda Guinta, Lorraine Corbett Second Row: Phyllis Hopkins, Catherine MacGillivray, Martha Greenleaf, Asenath Curley, Charlotte Williams, Marion Mitchell, Marjorie Wells, Alma MacGregor, Edna Allen, Katharine Nutt, Ina Harvey, Eva Monegan, Rosemary Golden, Audrey Johnston, Bertha Climo Trier Costa, Dorothy Davis, Edna Lebuc, Dorothy Petras, Alice Woodhull, Ruth Wells, Margaret Forbes, Iren Dill, Joan Leach, Mary Burns, Midred Messenger
Fourth Row: Lorraine O'Donnell, Ruth Bill, Marjorie Baldwin, Priscilla Morrison, Barbara Malcolm, Jane Holden, Flor ""e Kellogg, Frances Hadlock, Dorothy Beyer, Mary Euroses Hadlock, Dorothy Reyne, Marjorie Ayer, Ernestine Wood, Dorothea Reams

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HI-Y OFFICERS 1937 - 38 Left to right. R. Burke, President; F. Tredinnick, Secretary; J. Warner, Treasurer; F. Spang, Vice President



HI-Y SPECTATOR STAFF 1937-38
Left to right. Front Row: A. Monge, M. Ryan, R. Burke, H. Schnurbush, F. Tredinnick, B. Smith, C. Oicles Back Row: W. Flint, R. Cheyne, J. Warner, G. Kimball, G. Campbell, W. DuFault, F. Spang

Hi-Y Spectator Staff
The Hi-Y Spectator had another banner year in that it provided the students as well as the faculty, many moments of cheerfulness and gay laughter each Friday morning. Frank A. Tredinnick as Editor-in-Chief has shown that he has a real future in journalism. The entire staff at all times did its best to give just what its readers wanted. The advertising was, on the whole, a trifle better this year, and it is the hope of the Staff Members that the public has enjoyed reading the paper as much as the former liked writing this year's Spectator. May its memories linger on!



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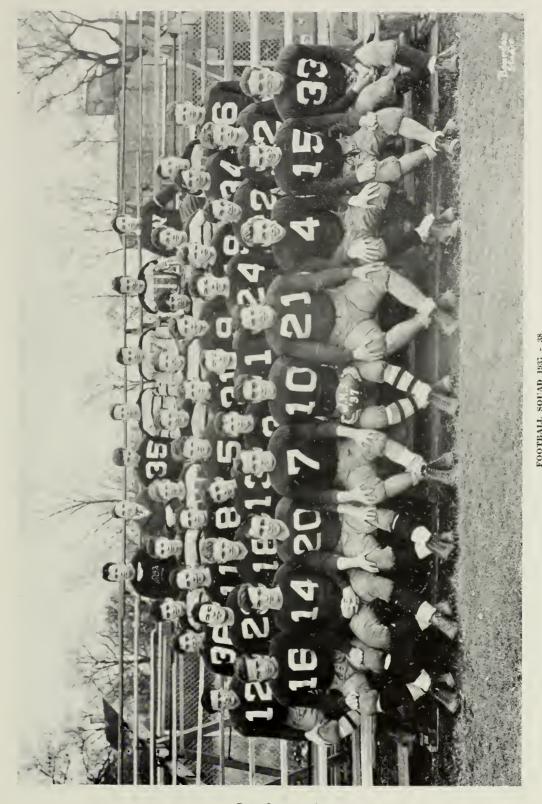
Left to right. Front Row: B. Guillow, G. Preble, B. Smith, C. Miles, B. Griffiths

Back Row: V. Wheeler, M. McCarthy, B. Kimball, N. Twombly, M. Costello, B. Davis, T. Burbank

Inter Nos Club 1937-1938

This year has proved to be another successful one added to the history of the Inter Nos Club, under the helpful direction of Miss Helen Gilmore. The program for the school year was as follows:

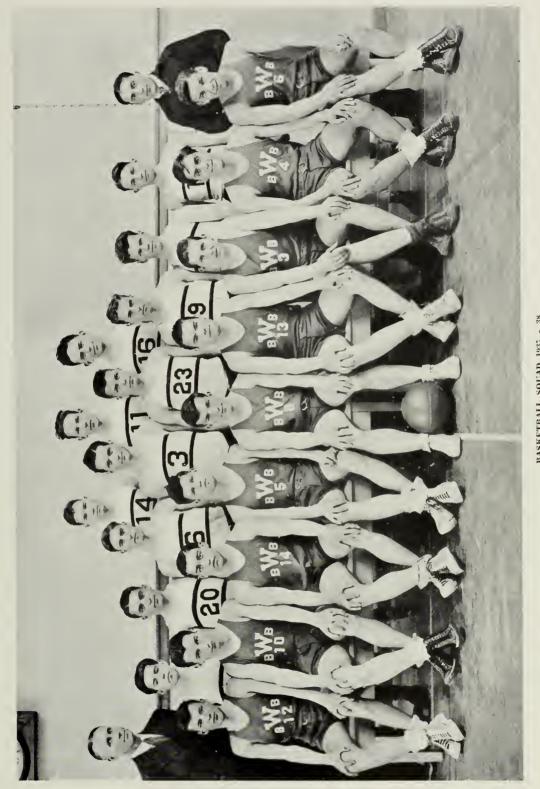
At the October meeting, Mrs. Frank Tredinnick was the speaker. This meeting was under the auspices of the Inter Nos Board. The secretary was in charge of the November meeting, at which the candlelight ceremony was performed. Under the direction of the Senior Directors, moving pictures were shown, and a buffet tea was served at the December meeting. In January the treasurer, as chairman, showed enjoyable moving pictures. The outstanding event of the year took place on February 9, when we gathered with our guests in the gymnasium for our annual tea dance, with Mrs. Harold Miles and Mrs. Frank Smith as matrons. The Junior Directors were in charge of the March meeting, to which our mothers were invited. On this occasion we were entertained by a demonstration of sandwich making. The corresponding secretary supervised the April meeting, and she arranged a short play. In May, the members of the Hi-Y Club were guests at our annual entertainment and tea. The final business meeting was held in June under the supervision of the Sophomore Directors. The annual reports were read and the election of officers held. This meeting brought to a close the tenth year of the Inter Nos Club in the Wakefield High School.



Left to right. Front Row: J. Foley, E. Habermann, J. Brady, P. Walsh, J. Guttadauro, E. Loughlin, F. Spang, A. Tecce, F. Martino Second Row: J. DeFelice, W. Fox. R. MacKenna, J. King, A. Dignan, J. Gronin, J. Woodhull, R. Doucette, G. Kimball Third Row: F. Cicciarella, A. Canaese, A. Calvo, V. Eliss, W. Beebe, E. Maloney, A. Herron, J. Ludano, C. Barrows Fourth Row: J. Modica, C. Tine, R. Kimball, H. Hogan, S. Presher, D. Volpe, T. Coccoro, J. Spang
Back Row: Coach Healey, Mgr. D. Hill, L. Bonfanti, G. Burke, L. Amerault, R. MacGrail, Mgr. H. Habermann

The Football Team The Wakefield High School football team of 1937, coached by William D. Healey, and captained by John Guttadauro, had a most successful season. Its record of winning seven games and losing but two is one of which it can be justly proud. The attendance at the games was remarkable, and those who did attend deserve to share in the team's success. After losing to Malden, Wakefield was victorious over Amesbury, Swampscott, Woburn, Watertown, and Winthrop. Its hopes were high, but it was defeated by a better Melrose team. This did not alter Wakefield's course, and the team proceeded to win from Reading, and to finish the season with a great victory over Cambridge Latin.

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BASKETBALL SQUAD 1937 - 38

Left to right. Front Row: Arnold Cochran, Charles MacManius, Louis Climo. Edward Pawlawski, Edward Habermann, John Conroy, Winsor Beebe.
John Guttadanro, Robert Doucette
Second Row: Coach Shellenberger, Charles Robbins, John Brockbank, Charles Confalone Sparks, Webster Jackson, James LeBlanc, Arthur Dignan,
Third Row: Robert Wheeler, Gardner Burke, Andrew Granese

Basketball — 1938

Wakefield's 1938 season has been the best of the last four years. Coach Homer M. Shellenberger developed a fine team which was worthy of any opponents. The new basketball rules adopted this year have made a larger first team necessary. Wakefield produced a good ten-man first squad, four members of which will be able to play for Wakefield again next year.

Proof of the quality of this team lies in its enviable record. The first team won ten games and lost six. It finished the season in a tie for third place in the Mystic Valley League. The second team won ten games and lost five.

There were only four letter men from last year's squad. These were Captain Edward Habermann, Louis Climo, John Guttadauro and Robert Doucette. The other members of the first team were Edward Pawlowski, John Conroy, Winsor Beebe, Arnold Cochran, Charles McManuis and Thomas Conroy, an all-time high scorer for Wakefield High School.



Left to right. First Row; H. Mew, H. Schnurbush, J. Gaics, B. Smith, B. Griffiths, D. Anderson, A. Monge, B. Kimball, B. Cox, B. Twitchell, G. Preble
 Second Row: F. Herbolzheimer, C. Ham, W. Hollett, N. Buwen, P. Jencsolik, M. Westover, M. Strong, H. Ramsdell, F. Reed, W. Thistle, C. Burbank, L. Schlotterbeck, M. Russell, W. Dufault
 Third Row: H. Maher, M. Gryder, H. Whitford, W. Thompson, P. Cameron, N. Glucke, R. Schuman, W. Blanchard, W. Jackson, J. Johnson, P. Macguire, J. Colby, L. Bisso, D. Johnson, H. Holden
 Fourth Row: E. Lobacz, I. Jay, W. Schlotterbeck, A. Bill, L. Moore, T. Coccora, L. Anderson, H. Gould, R. Sheaff, G. Winters, E. Seero, R. MacKenus

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Boys' Band

This year, Wakefield High has had a band of which it can justly be proud. Its splendid performances at football and basketball games, plus marching ability, have earned many compliments from private citizens. The band in its familiar red and white uniforms, led by the drum major, Fred Herbolzheimer, Jr., should create a feeling of pride in every high-school student.

Although few people realize the fact, Wakefield is the sole town for miles around that has only boys in its band. Other bands have to depend on girls to sustain their memberships, but Wakefield is lucky in having enough musically-minded young men. In this year's band there are nine clarinets, fourteen cornets and trumpets, two saxophones, three tubas, six trombones, two altos, three baritones, six drums, and one piccolo. This makes it the largest band Wakefield High School has ever had.

A vote of thanks is given by all the band members to Mr. Joseph Fanck, the director. Mr. Fanck has worked long and hard rehearsing the band as a whole, and drilling the separate sections.

The band this year has been fortunate also in having Lieutenant Richard B. Dolbeare of the Richardson Light Guard to give valuable marching information.

In June, Mr. Fanck loses most of his experienced players by graduation, but we know that he will find more good material among his other players. It is our sincere wish that next year he may have another successful band.

Cheerleaders

With unusual co-operation from the stands, the following nine fairest girls and two of our chosen boys spurred the very successful football team on to victory:

William Meuse, '38 Arnold Cochran, '39 Helene Schnurbush, '38 Barbara Smith, '38 Dorothy Anderson, '38 BETTY KIMBALL, '38
BETSY GRIFFITHS, '38
BETTY COX, '39
BARBARA TWITCHELL, '39
ANITA MONGE, '39

The substitutes were Grethel Preble, '38; Helen Mew, '38; James Guttadauro, '38.

The entire group attended all the games. The girls, with their flaming red skirts, white sweaters, and respective letters, and the boys with their white flannels and maroon sweaters, gave a fine exhibition at each game. The cheer leaders' presence with the band received great commendation from the packed stands, no doubt, because of their trim and snappy appearance. It will be a hard job to surpass this group in the future.



ORCHESTRA 1937 - 38

Left to right. Front Row: A. Woodhull, P. Burditt, B. Dow, Mr. Fanck, C. White, J. Mosher, R. Peterson, H. Parker

Back Row: F. Herbolzheimer, S. Piccolo, E. Loughlin, R. Schumann, P. Cameron, M. Strong, P. Jencsolik, H. Gould, R. MacKenna



Library CLUB
Carleton, R. Romano, H. Cobb, D. Fanck, I. Andrews, V. Grant
Second Row: B. Climo, M. Kent, J. Rockwood, F. Lee, C. Beecher, E. Moore, E. Griffin
Back Row: R. Allen, C. Holoway, H. Allyn, C. O'Keefe, G. Winters
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Orchestra

The Wakefield High School Orchestra rehearsals were resumed, last spring, after a period of inactivity of almost a year. Since that time, the orchestra has been practicing faithfully every week under the direction of Mr. Joseph Fanck. Although the group did not play so often as it would have liked, it furnished music for the Senior Play, appeared at an assembly, and played at the spring concerts. Among the most talented members are our classmates: Robert Schuman, who has been one of the mainstays of the band and orchestra; Ed Loughlin, who graced with equal success the football field and the orchestral chair; and Peter Jencsolik, with his sweet-toned trumpet and sunny smile.

The members:

SALVATORE PICCOLO
JAMES LANDRIGAN
JEAN MOSHER
ALICE WOODHULL
PATRICIA BURDITT
ROBERT MACKENNA
HARLAND GOULD
PAUL CAMERON
PETER JENCSOLIK

EDMOND LOUGHLIN
RUTH PETERSON
CAROL WHITE
BARBARA DOW
HATTIE PARKER
FRED HERBOLZHEIMER
ROBERT SCHUMAN
MASON STRONG
MAX ROBINSON

The Library Service Club

This is a group newly organized this year, made up, for the most part, of a representative from each home room. The members give at least one period a week to assisting in the school library. During that period, the pupil has full charge of the desk, charging and discharging books, "timing" the library slips, checking new magazines, and counting the previous day's circulation. Special assignments by teachers are noted and reported to the librarian, that books on those subjects may be restricted to library use.

The club members, who, by the way, must meet certain requirements in scholarship and deportment, have visited other school libraries, thus broadening their ideas on the value of this branch of school work.



HOCKEY 1937 - 38

Left to right. Front Row: J. Barry, C. Confalone, F. Spang, G. Oakes, R. Reed, K. Whipling, B. McDonald Back Row: H. Shellenberger, Coach; D. MacKay, R. MacKenna, E. Callan, J. Spang, S. MacDonald, G. Pyburn, F. Tredinnick, Manager



GIRLS' BASKETBALL 1937 - 38

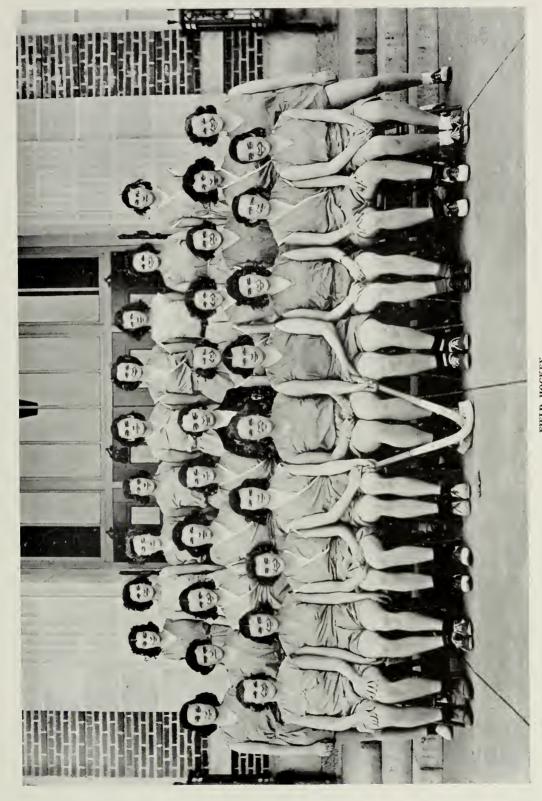
Left to right. Front Row: D. Riley, I. Montague, C. Cosman, H. Schnurbush, K. Merrill, F. Jillett, B. Florence Back Row: S. Yazinka, H. Yazinka, E. Whitney, K. Miller, B. Smith, Miss Nichols, Coach Page Eighty-seven

Hockey

This year, Wakefield High School re-organized hockey as a sport, and the boys did the rest. They certainly worked hard in order that future years might find Wakefield with the other Greater Boston schools in the hockey realm. Bad weather conditions and the inability of the coach to offer much of his time were serious handicaps. The team played seven games, winning only three, but made a fine showing for the first year.

The leading scorers in rank were "Ken" Whipling, "Bernie"

The leading scorers in rank were "Ken" Whipling, "Bernie" McDonald, and John Barry; other boys who also turned in grand work on the squad were Charles Confalone, Frank Spang, "Whacker" MacDonald, "Bubone" Reed, "Red Dog" MacKenna, D. McKay, John Spang, "Ed" Callan and Gillie Oakes. These boys really worked hard to bring hockey to Wakefield, and future high school teams will do well if they can follow this squad's promising example.



FIELD HOCKEY

Left to right. Front Row: S. Yazinka, D. Riley, B. Sherdan, E. Cronin, C. Miles, N. Davis, S. Marshall, D. McLaughlin, B. Davis
Second Row: M. McCarthy, M. Dower, F. Cotter, B. Galvin, C. Cosman, Miss Nichols, Coach: M. O'Neil, C. Oicles, E. Peterson, F. Jillett, J. Rasmusson
Back Row: I. Montague, H. Yazinka, G. Maher, N. Rutter, H. Schnurbush, K. Merrill, B. Edson, T. Downing, B. Florence

Field Hockey

For several years field hockey has been an organized fall sport for the girls at Wakefield High. Under the direction of our new gymnasium teacher, Miss Nichols, much progress has been made with the team.

Playing their first field hockey game with Stoneham, the girls lost by the small margin of one goal, to a more experienced team. Their spirited play and defense work spoke well for their efforts. Miss Nichols worked hard to make a real team and to keep field hockey going as an extra-curricular activity. Much interest was shown in the team, which consisted of girls from sophomore to senior classes, who were picked to represent their school as a field hockey team.

The first squad consisted of fourteen girls:

B. Davis, Guinta, rw; J. Rasmusson, ri; B. Florence, cf; H. Schnurbush, li; G. Maher, E. Peterson, F. Jillett, lw; N. Butler, rh; P. Dower, ch; C. Miles (Capt.), lh; C. Cosman, rf; K. Merrill, lf; S. Marshall, g.

Second team line-up:

E. Cronin, F. Cotter, rw; D. McLaughlin, M. O'Neill, ri; N. Davis (Capt.), cf; D. Riley, R. Scione, li; B. Edson, lw; T. Burbank, P. Moore, rh; M. McCarthy, ch; S. Yazinka, L. Quinn, lh; B. Galvin, rf; B. Sheridan, lf; H. Yazinka, g.



Eront: "Tinker" Barry, mascot

Left to right. First Row: L. Quinzio, C. Confalone. H. Bennett, J. Barry, W. Gibson, A. Calvo, R. Malonson
Second Row: W. Dill, D. MacKay, S. Halperin, C. Dill, R. Gibson, J. Doucette, I. Niktin, H. Shellenberger, Coach
Back Row: S. Kanchuga, A. Granese

Baseball

Since the 1938 baseball picture and record will not be available until after the required date for publication, we have decided to include a picture and an account of the preceding year's team in the yearbook. This is a particularly opportune time to do so, since the majority of the players on last year's squad are members of the Class of 1938.

After a somewhat hectic and bitter struggle, interested players finally outlined a plan for baseball at Wakefield High School. As you undoubtedly recall, Winthrop and Melrose precipitated the abandonment of the Mystic Valley League, of which Wakefield was a member.

The first month of the season was spent in intra-mural league competition. After a comparatively successful schedule, Coach Shellenberger selected a varsity group that rang up the best record in recent years—four victories against five defeats.

All nine games were played in less than a month, with only two pitchers to rely upon; consequently, down the home stretch, teams that Wakefield once defeated easily, took advantage of her weakness. Among our defeats were two which were no disgrace—one against the undefeated Watertown nine; the other, a close loss at Melrose, whose powerful outfit took both Malden and Everett in stride. Truly one of the best schoolboy teams was deprived of a chance to shine when Melrose all but dropped baseball for good.

John Barry, whose brother Bert won the Mystic Valley League batting championship a few years back, headed the high school batters at or above .400 during the greater part of the season. As a unit, the team did not hit so well, but fielded the best of any club since 1930.

Since most of the boys on last year's team will be back, and the material coming up from the freshman team appears promising, the Wakefield High School baseball team under Captain-elect Louis Quinzio should have a very successful season.

Dance Collegiate

The Senior Class of Wakefield High School held its annual party on January 29 in the school gymnasium. The theme for the party was that of a collegiate dance, with banners of many colleges and schools hung on the walls. Multi-colored streamers covered the lights and were extended from all corners of the hall.

The grand march was led by President Edward Habermann with Priscilla Fisher as his partner. The Vice-president, Barbara Smith, was next in line, escorted by Frank Spang. Then came the Class Treasurer, Edward Pawlowski, who accompanied the Class Secretary, Helene Schnurbush.

Favors were distributed during the fifth dance. Later in the evening, a spot dance was won by Iva Andrews and Donald Hill.

During intermission the dancers were entertained by Paul Lally, a classmate, who played the piano and whistled many popular songs.

In the matrons' corner were Mrs. Herman Habermann, Mrs. Frank A. Smith and Miss Margaret Ryan, Miss Alice Ryan and Miss Helen Gilmore of the Faculty.

The committee in charge included the officers and June Mosher, Robert Schuman, Dorothy Anderson, Marguerite Dinan, Flora Eldridge, Carrie Gray, Marguerite Harper, Mona Kent, Virginia Lloyd, Alice Sedgley, Mary Tecce, Paul Champagne, Cortlandt Clarke, Henry Holden, Maurice Morin, Gilbert Oakes, Robert Pohl, John Riley, Theodore Robbins and Laurence Wade.

What Would Happen If:

Brady let his hair grow? Nancy wasn't dignified? Kay found her "one and only"? George and Shirley weren't fighting? "Sugar" and Eddie broke up? Bobby Reed came to a school dance? Elizabeth Fanck didn't get high honors? Bobby Pohl was six feet tall? Frank couldn't see Barbara? Billy Dufault lost his license? John Barry wasn't our Editor-in-Chief? Tom didn't see "Bunny" every night? Bernie lost his accent? MacKay wasn't cutting up? Betsy and Arny couldn't be on a refreshment committee? Betty Kimball and Jimmy weren't together? Dot Anderson stayed home nights? The Seniors studied for one night? Marjorie Baldwin knew her history? Betty Guillow went "steady"? Norma was wardrobe mistress again? "Cilla" didn't see "Ed" every Sunday? Nat forgot Holy Cross? "Sandy" wasn't our efficient scribe? Katherine Nutt didn't say "I think"? "T" couldn't play football? Connie Beecher didn't wear something knitted? Shankie and Tom couldn't dance? Henry Holden learned to dance? Gus Tecce wasn't courteous? John Warner wasn't working? Holly Cobb couldn't sing? Ken Whipling didn't walk to Stoneham? We won the Melrose football game? The Freshmen supported our dances? The Sophomores made a little noise? The Juniors calmed down? The Seniors came back next year?

Music Goes Around The School

"In My Solitude"	Study Periods
"That Old Feeling"	Report Cards
"Little Fraternity Pin"	
"New Faces"	Freshmen
"So Rare"	
"Yankee Doodle Band"	Boys' Band
"Sing, Sing, Sing, Sing"	Glee Clubs
"These Foolish Things"	
"Early To Bed"	Football Squad
"Goody-Goody"	
"Posin"	
"Just One More Chance"	. Mr. Healey's History Class
"Remember Me?"	Post-Graduate
"Lost"	
"Am I Gonna Have Trouble With You?"	Mr. Peterson
"Down Where The Trade Winds Blow"	Commerce and Industry
"I Can't Be Bothered Now"	
"Who Knows?"	
"I'd Love to Play a Love Scene With You"	
"Always and Always"	B. Smith and F. Spang
"On With the Dance"	Senior Party
"The Man on the Flying Trapeze"	
"There's Something in the Air".	Chemistry Class
"One in a Million"	
"I'd Rather Be Right"	
"Today I Am a Man"	
"Doctor Rhythm"	
"The Camera Doesn't Lie".	Class Proofs
"Laugh Your Way Through Life" B	
"Where There's You There's Me" H. S	
"So Many Memories"	
"If It's the Last Thing I Do"	
"Some Day We'll Meet Again"	
"Can I Forget You?"	W. H. S.

Ada Schefisch, '38 Virginia Lambert, '38 Alma MacGregor, '38

Alphabetic Review

A is for Alice, the smartest in school; B is for Bill, a cheerleading fool.

C is for Carolyn, a hoopster of fame; D is for Dot, for whom life is never tame.

E is for Ed. P., a basketball demon; F is for Frank, a regular he man.

G is for Gus, the favorite ladies' man; H is for Heaven, where we hope we'll all land.

I is for Irene, a quiet little lass; J is for Jim, the clown of the class.

K is for Ken, a great hockey star; L is for Louis, a ball player who'll go far.

M is for Maxine—you can't keep her down—N is for Nat, can she go to town!

O is for Olive, quiet and pretty is she; P is for Paul Lally, the Benny Goodman to be.

Q is for quizzes, a source of great woe; R is for rhythm—we do love it so.

S is for Sandy, a go-getting lad; T is for Teddy, he has "Tony" fever bad.

U is for Utopia, the place of our dreams; V is for victories that came to our teams.

W is for Willie, the big bass drummer; X is for Xmas, there should be two every summer.

Y is for our youthfulness—we hope it lasts forever; Z is for zeal—may it leave us never!

Barbara Smith, '38 Helene Schnurbush, '38

Class Elections

Most Conscientious	Katharine Nutt
Most Original	Frank Tredinnick
Most Courteous	Gus Tecce
Most Likely to Succeed	Elizabeth Fanck
Class Shark	Elizabeth Fanck
Most Versatile	Helene Schnurbush
Most Bashful	
Class Cut-up	Maxine McNamara
Class Flirt	Betty Guillow
	Betsy Griffiths
Jolliest Boy	James Brady
Prettiest Girl	Catherine Merrill
Most Attractive Boy	Kenneth Whipling
Class Actress	Betsy Griffiths
Class Actor	Frank Tredinnick
Most Dignified Girl	Nancy Twombly
Most Dignified Boy	Frank Spang
Most Athletic Girl	Helene Schnurbush
Most Athletic Boy	John Guttadauro
Most Fashionable Girl	Catherine Merrill
Class Dude	Paul Champagne
Most Popular Boy	Edward Habermann
Most Popular Girl	Barbara Smith
Class Orator	Frank Tredinnick
Class Diplomat	
Class Bluffer	Herman Habermann
Junior Girl Most Popular with the Senior Cl	lass Anita Monge
Junior Boy Most Popular with the Senior Cl	ass Robert MacKenna

Class History

Rather bewildered by the maze of rooms, innumerable rules, and so many fellow classmates, on September 5, 1934, our class embarked upon its voyage of higher education. We were the largest class ever to enter the high school—numbering approximately 350—a fact which made us feel that our position in the school was of no little importance. After a few weeks we became accustomed to the routine of high school life, and tried hard to master our difficult programs. Many of our number soon showed excellent results of their endeavors.

Those on the freshman honor roll for the year were: Elizabeth Fanck, Katherine Nutt, Helene Schnurbush, John Warner, John Barry, Alice Coldwell, Robert Cook, Kenneth Grout, Frederick Johnson, Mona Kent, Virginia Lambert, Katherine Miller, Joseph O'Toole, Nancy Twombly,

and Kenneth Whipling.

One activity in which we were the first to participate was the Boston Herald spelling contest. Hugh Morgan, victorious over our whole fresh-

man class, went to Boston to compete.

Because of the double session, it was possible for the freshmen to have a separate football team and to receive their training and practice during the morning hours. This team, with John Guttadauro as quarterback, remained undefeated throughout the year.

Under the competent direction of Miss Bent and Mr. Shellenberger, the Athletic Council sponsored an entertainment which we called "Amateur Night", during our first year. Our class was represented by the following: Alma MacGregor, Mary Ryan, Holly Cobb, and Dorothy Surette.

These incidents were the most important of the freshman year, which

closed on June 21, 1935.

On September 4, 1935, we entered as sophomores. As the term advanced, members of our class took part in many school activities. Elizabeth Fanck and Betty Kimball were the sophomore directors on the Inter Nos Board. Barbara Smith and Helene Schnurbush represented the class in the Girls' Athletic Council. Many sophomore girls joined the Girls' Glee Club, which was organized by Miss Vivian Dix.

Those on the honor roll were: Elizabeth Fanck, Constance Beecher, Roger Burke, Alice Coldwell, Donald Hill, Virginia Lambert, Woodrow Millet, Katherine Nutt, Hilda Oster, Helene Schnurbush, John Warner,

and Kenneth Whipling.

The sophomores on the football squad were: John Guttadauro, Edward Maloney, Edward Habermann, James Brady, Kenneth Whipling, James Guttadauro, and Joseph DeFelice. Many of the girls participated in field hockey and basketball. Rosina Howard filled the position of manager of field hockey; Helene Schnurbush was the basketball captain, and Dorothy Anderson the manager.

The Athletic Council again gave an "Amateur Night", and the program included several of our class: Dorothy Surette, Holly Cobb, Catherine MacGillivray, and Dorothy Riley.

The months, filled with interesting events and activities, passed all too swiftly, and on June 19, 1936, W. H. S. closed its doors upon our sophomore year.

On September 9, after two short months of vacation, we found ourselves back in school ready to start the junior year. Our home rooms were assigned, and we were ready for another year of hard, intensive study.

It was not long before our class had organized teams in all the sports, with football, of course, taking the lead. Those who took an active part in this sport were: James Brady, Joseph DeFelice, Joseph Foley, John Guttadauro, Herman Habermann, Melvin Levine, Edmond Loughlin, Frank Martino, William Meuse, Frank Spang, Augustine Tecce, Patrick Walsh, John Cronin, Ralph Johnson, George Kimball, Edward Maloney, John Woodhull, Charles Barrows, Edward Habermann, Joseph Laurino, and Robert Pohl.

Our track and cross country teams were comprised of Roger Burke, James Guttadauro, Edward Habermann, Robert King, George Leach, and John Whitford. They made good records at the meets.

John Cronin, Gilbert Oakes, and George Kimball, although only juniors, joined the golf team and helped to win many games.

During our last three years of high school the glee clubs, under the supervision of Mr. Fulton and Miss Dix, and the band, under the supervision of Mr. Fanck, progressed rapidly.

The girls showed much interest in field hockey under the direction of Miss Shepherd. They also took part in basketball and in bowling.

The girls also became active in the Inter Nos Club. Those who so ably helped to carry on the work were: Treasurer, Nancy Twombly; Corresponding Secretary, Grethel Preble; and Junior Directors, Barbara Smith and Eleanor O'Connell.

During the year, Miss Katherine Nichols and Miss Dorothy Shepherd were appointed to replace Miss Marjorie Bent as physical instructor of the girls. Miss Louise Sheldon was appointed librarian to fill the vacancy left by Miss Mildred Moore.

At our first class meeting, the motto "Try, Trust, Triumph" was chosen by the Class of 1938. At the same time we decided upon black and silver out of the many color combinations that were suggested.

The Junior Class officers were: President, Donald Miles; Vice President, Barbara Smith; Secretary, Mildred Paulson; and Treasurer, William Thompson.

On April 10, 1937, the Class of 1938 held its first dance, the Junior Prom; or, as it was called, "The Dutch Treat." Miss Gilmore and the members of the Junior Prom Committee, by their untiring efforts, made this dance an outstanding event of the year. The money made was put aside for a part of the graduation expenses.

The following juniors were on the honor roll: Elizabeth Fanck, Robert Cook, John Woodhull, Katherine Nutt, Frederick Johnson, Kenneth Whipling, Helene Schnurbush, and Virginia Lambert.

On June 25, 1937, our junior year was completed.

On September 8, 1937, the senior class, the largest in many years, gathered to complete its final year of high school education. Early in the fall term, the class elected these officers: President, Edward Habermann; Vice President, Barbara Smith, Secretary, Helene Schnurbush; and Treasurer, Edward Pawlowski.

The Inter Nos Club selected Barbara Smith as President, Grethel Preble as Corresponding Secretary, Betsy Griffiths as Treasurer, and Virgin a Wheeler and Betty Kimball as the Senior Directors.

Donald Miles was President of the Hi-Y, but because he left Wakefield High School, Roger Burke was appointed to replace him. The other officers were: Vice President, Frank Spang; Secretary, Frank Tredinnick; and Treasurer, John Warner.

For the first time in many years, the Wakefield High School organized a hockey team. Many of the boys were enthusiastic about this sport, a feeling which resulted in the organization of a good and very successful hockey team. Those who participated were John Barry, Edward Callan, Stephen MacDonald, Donald MacKay, Robert Reed, Frank Spang, Gilbert Oakes, Bernard McDonald, and Kenneth Whipling.

The basketball team was close to championship this year, the following boys helping to make it so: Louis Climo, Joseph DeFelice, William Meuse, Edward Pawlowski, and William Sparks.

Most of the boys who played football last year were in the team again, and with John Guttadauro as captain, had a very good season, winning most of the games, and consequently tying with Melrose for the Mystic Valley League Championship.

The Glee Clubs, under the supervision of Miss Vivian Dix and Mr. Arthur Fulton, have had regular weekly rehearsals. The fine results of the excellent training were evident when parts of the "Messiah" were sung in the Christmas concert; and again when the operetta, "Trial by Jury", and annual spring concert were presented on May 20.

The Senior Play, given by the Class of 1938, was the most successful of the class affairs. All tickets were sold, and the auditorium was crowded with pupils and townspeople, some of whom stood all the evening to see this highlight of the season. Although over 200 pupils, with the aid of the faculty, contributed to the success of the play, only a few were actually seen on the stage. The play was very well presented under the efficient direction of Miss Barbara Gerry. Frank Tredinnick played the lead; the role of a young man who wished to run the household while his parents were away on a vacation. Those who made up the supporting cast were Barbara Smith, Mildred Paulson, Nancy Twombly, Robert King, Betty Kimball, William Dufault, Frank Spang, Betsy Griffiths, John Barry, Dorothy Riley, James Brady, Phyllis Stone, Marianne Ryan, and Marjorie Ayer.

On January 29, 1938, the Senior Party was held in the auditorium of the high school. This dance was the last affair to be held by the Class of 1938, and therefore our last opportunity to earn money for Class Day and Graduation. The committee worked hard, with gratifying results.

In March of this year the speakers for graduation were announced. Elizabeth Fanck received the highest honors, and therefore is valedictorian; Katherine Nutt is salutatorian, and Helene Schnurbush has the third honor part.

As our high school days come to a close, we realize more fully the

interpretation of our motto: "Try, Trust, Triumph." May it always remind us of the earnest years at Wakefield High School, and their valuable contribution to our lives.

CLASS HISTORY COMMITTEE

Andrew Rombult
John Thompson
Herbert Roberts
Mary Saunders
Martha Greenleaf
Mrs. Genesta B. Tooker, Faculty Sponsor

Will of Class of 1938

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE CLASS OF 1938 TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN:

We, the members of the Senior Class of the Wakefield High School, of the Town of Wakefield, of the County of Middlesex, in this great Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being of sound mind and memory, and realizing that the time has come for us to pass out from this institution of learning which has endeared itself to each and all of us, do make, publish, and declare this our last will and testament, in manner and form as follows:

FIRST: As our CLASS GIFT, we give and bequeath a sum of money to be used in purchasing one or more articles which will benefit the pupils of the high school. Said money is to be spent at the discretion of Mr. Peterson and the following members of the Class of 1938 who constitute the Class Gift Committee: Madeline Muse, Lorraine O'Donnell, Catherine Dulong, Olive Muse, Kathleen Dunlea, and Rose Gregoria.

SECOND: To the Faculty of the Wakefield High School, we give and bequeath our gratitude and appreciation for guidance, inspiration, and the imparting of knowledge to us, the Seniors, during our four years in school. Moreover, we especially request that the teachers herein mentioned be remembered specifically with the following:

Mr. Peterson and Mr. Kinder: a Zenith Radio Nurse, so that when they are in the office, they can hear the slightest scolding that a teacher may be giving a pupil and rush to said pupil's assistance.

Mr. Healey: another "Dicey" Conroy.

Miss Margaret Ryan: several extra packages of paper, to be placed in a convenient location for the study pupils who sit in her room, thereby saving them from begging for one sheet.

Miss Macdonald: a pair of dark glasses so that she cannot discover

every typewriting error on the poor beginners' papers.

Miss Gleason: a brilliant ornament to adorn her most ultra-modern

and stylish coiffure.

Miss Pattee: a life-like portrait of her beautiful Persian cat, Cherie, to be painted by Miss Hirst, and, on completion, to have inscribed beneath the words, "Mon Chat." It is our earnest request that this portrait be hung in Miss Pattee's classroom as a teaching aid for those French scholars who have difficulty in remembering how to spell "cat."

Miss Nichols: a girls' basketball team that can beat Reading.

Mr. Cassano: a practice golf ball that will always make a hole-in-one. Mr. Fulton: one huge blank book in which to compile a dictionary of his five-syllable words, said dictionary to be used to enlighten those unfortunate pupils who are familiar with nothing but the "vernacular of the street.'

Miss Alice Ryan: a much-needed office practice room, together with

the latest office practice machines and equipment.

Mr. Gallop and Mr. Preble: a magic mixing set which will do away with any obnoxious gases which, in the past, have frequently escaped and caused a number of most brilliant pupils to be caught napping.

Mr. Antunes: a special pair of eyeglasses so that he will not have to be annoyed with two pairs.

Mr. White: a gavel to be made from the wood of his desk in Room 101, said gavel to serve as a lasting memorial in case he should desert the

teaching profession to become Town Manager.

Miss Reed: a sailor hat to wear when she pulls the curtains up and down by the rope, so that she will truly feel—as she so frequently says—that she is "at the mast."

Mr. Heavens: a new, bright green necktie to replace the faded one he

has been wearing for the past ten years on St. Patrick's Day.

Miss Cowing: a set of French records that can be run at a very slow rate of speed, thereby saving her pupils the necessity of taxing their energy to keep up with her rapid flow of language.

THRD: To our fellow-classmates whose names are hereinafter men-

tioned, we give and bequeath in the manner described.

Howard Christie: a bit of artistic ability, so that he can draw a picture of the "girl of his dreams" and carry it about with him, thus saving Howard the necessity of looking for the real thing.

Betty Florance: a ticket to Switzerland where she can try her luck at skiing and tumble down something higher than Mr. Hood, Melrose.

Eva Monegan: an extra year in high school, just in case she should have missed out on anything.

Marie Costa: a mammoth sewing kit for her next demonstration.

James Brady: a few quarters, so he will not have to wear his hair cut so short that he appears scalped.

Dorothy Anderson: a heavy insurance on her Paderewski-like fingers. Robert Bennett: a good supply of cod liver oil so that he will grow

as tall and husky as John Woodhull.

John Barry: the \$50,000 dog of the motion picture, "The Awful Truth," so John will be willing to part company with the dilapidated-looking mongrel he takes around.

Priscilla Fisher: the opportunity to be "The First Lady", since she

has become so accustomed to traveling around with a President.

Martha Greenleaf: fifteen minutes each day to do the Wallace exercises with the radio.

Paul Champagne: some "Goody" curlers so that he can acquire a deep wave in his sleek hair.

Alma MacGregor: some pepper to put on her fingers so that she will not bite her nails.

Gardner Campbell: a trip around the world so that the other fellows in the class will have a chance to see a girl once in a while.

Shirley Simpson: a contract as a "baby star" in the movies.

Thomas Hickey: some baking powder so that he will unfold and popup and surprise himself.

Paul Lally: a bottle of hair tonic so that his hair will grow long enough to shake when he becomes a great maestro.

Robert Cook: an acre of land in Wakefield Square so that he can park his automobile without bumping into another car.

George Kimball: a pair of knickers and some sporty golf hose which will save him the trouble of constantly rolling up his trousers.

FOURTH: Certain opulent members of the Class of 1938 give and

bequeath to certain needy members of the Class of 1939 special gifts as hereinafter set forth:

William Dufault gives his brilliant sales talk to Robert Peabody. Frank Tredinnick passes on his exceptional vocabulary to any member of the Junior Class able to "take it."

Mildred Paulson donates her "cut up" ability to Harriet Erskine.

Edmond Loughlin gives his athletic physique to Paul Krubel. Margery Tyler wishes that the very young children of the Class of

1939 have a copy of her poems, and she sincerely trusts that said children may understand these poems.

Elizabeth Fanck places her analytical mind at the disposal of Carolyn

Miles.

Mary Ryan surrenders her outstanding position on the *Spectator* to Betty Costello.

John Kane, having no further use for his rattle and other similar

toys, generously hands them over to Malcolm Russell.

Jimmie Brady leaves his whiffle to Clifford Peck so that Clifford may play the dirge for the Class of 1939.

Christina Atkinson offers her preciseness to "Ginger" Schulman.

Doris Climo donates her cooking ability to any Junior who is not afraid to boil water.

Barbara Fairweather wishes her loquaciousness to become the property of Eleanor Corbett.

John Cronin extends his dancing feet to Charles Modica.

Katherine Nutt gives her power of expression to Gertrude Doucette. Edward Habermann donates his diplomacy to Clayton Holoway.

Constance Beecher passes on her love for the "fine arts" to Virginia Hatfield.

Dorothy Riley gives her ability to tap dance and trip it on the light fantastic toe to Carolyn Miles.

Charles Barrows donates his wonderful "line" with "nothing to hang

on it" to George Antunes.

Cyril Harper passes on his lightning mathematical ability to Henry Patch.

Marjorie Ayer offers her quiet ways to Anita Monge.

Helene Schnurbush donates her ability to play basketball to Fannie Hovey with the hope that Fannie may make a basket once in a lifetime. Irene Montague passes on her cleverness at dressmaking to Millicent

Peabody so that Millicent may look like a fashion plate.

Florence Jillett gives her natural wave to Dorothy Green.

Bradford Baker donates his "smile that wins" to Horace Spiby.

Roger Burke passes on his talent of dealing with high horses and wooden bars to Edward Lobacz.

FIFTH: The Class of 1938 also makes the following general bequests: TO ALL AFTERNOON PUPILS: a carload of eyeglasses, so that they can see to study during the long, winter afternoons.

TO THE TYPÉWRITING PUPILS: new, adjustable chairs, so that little Arthur DeCecca and John McCarthy will not have to use the same

equipment as six-footers like John Doherty and William Sparks.

TO THE GREENWOOD PUPILS: a shelter in front of the high school, so that they will not get drenched when it rains and freeze in the winter while waiting for the bus.

TO THE JUNIOR CLASS: our old shoes, with the hope that they will fit sufficiently well so that said Juniors can step in and fill our place.

TO THE SOPHOMORE CLASS: plenty of good stiff discipline to

prevent its members from becoming "softies."

TO THE FRESHMAN CLASS: our four years of experience with the sincere hope that its members will profit from our errors and omissions.

LASTLY: We hereby nominate and appoint Mr. Charles J. Peterson, Principal, to be the executor of this our last will and testament, hereby

revoking all former wills made by us.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF we have hereunto subscribed our names and set our seal this first day of June in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-eight.

> (Signed) Joseph Bisso Alice Coldwell John Doherty Irene Montague Dorothy Riley Alice Sedgley

Faculty Sponsor, Miss Ruth Hiatt

We whose names are hereto subscribed do certify that on the first day of June, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirtyeight, the Class of 1938, the testators, subscribed their names to the testament in our presence; and, in the presence of each of us, at the same time, in our presence and hearing, declared the same to be their last WILL and TESTAMENT, and requested us, and each of us, to sign our names thereto as witnesses to the execution thereof, which we hereby do in the presence of the testators and of each other on the said date, and write opposite our names our respective places of residence.

(Signed) Marjorie Bunker, residing at Wakefield, Massachusetts Elvira C. Cosman, residing at Wakefield, Massachusetts (Signed) Eleanor Gleason, residing at Wakefield, Massachusetts (Signed)

Prophecy of the Class of 1938

The Committee visited Professor Rukah on Planet Mars and through his scientific instruments was able to find out the future of this Class.

COMMITTEE

Marjorie Wells
Mary Lazzaro
Kenneth Lindsay
Fred Palmerino
Katherine Miller

Ralph Pratola
Edith Taylor
George Tremblay
Margaret Dalton
Donald Wood

CLASS SPONSOR

Mrs. Elvira Cosman

Scene—Laboratory of the Scientist, Rukah, on the Planet Mars.

At rear is a large box-like machine, on the top of which is an opening.

Rukah stands over it adjusting various parts.

A messenger enters.

(Kenneth Lindsay) Rukah—"Do you wish to see me?"

(Fred Palmerino) Messenger—"I have a message for you from His Majesty, the ruler of Mars."

Rukah---"What is it?"

Messenger—"The Senior Class of Wakefield High School from the Planet Earth has sent their Prophecy Committee to the Planet Mars to consult you and see your laboratory. They have been received by His Majesty and are now awaiting an interview with you. Are you ready to see them?"

Rukah—"You may bring them in."

The group enters.

Rukah—"It is indeed a pleasure to welcome you and this fine group

of young people."

(Mary Lazzaro) One of Group—"It is more than a pleasure for us to be received by so great a person as you. Allow me to congratulate you on being the first to establish communication between Mars and Earth by means of your powerful machine."

(Katherine Miller) One of group—"We are especially interested in inspecting your machine, Doctor Rukah, and learning more about it."

Doctor Rukah—"Be seated, and I will tell you some of the things that can be done by its powers. The machine is the result of years of study. We have known that there must be some way of establishing contact with you on the earth, but just how, has been the problem."

(Ralph Pratola) One of group—"We, too, were faced with the same

puzzle.'

Doctor Rukah—"Just how I have gained this contact I am not yet ready to reveal; but today in honor of your arrival on Mars, I am desirous of giving any demonstration these young people may wish."

Edith Taylor, (excitedly)—"I know what I would rather you would do than anything else."

Rukah—"What, I pray you?"

Edith Taylor—"Would or could you, through the powers of your machine, give us prophetic insight into the future of members of this class?"

Rukah—"That will be very easy, but you must do as I say. Hand me the names of the members of the class on slips of paper and I will, with the aid of this machine, foretell the future of each one.'

George Tremblay—"Oh, how fortunate! I brought a list with me.

Will these do?'

Rukah—"Indeed they will do nicely. Put the names into the machine and it will do the work in a few seconds, even as you watch it."

Rukah—"Ah, here is the first set. Suppose you read them."

He hands slips with names on them to Margaret Dalton, who reads as follows:

A brilliant career for Katharine Nutt, our Salutatorian, who has been appointed president of Wellesley College. Mary Irwin is a Professor in the same college.

Rosina Howard, Mona Kent, and Alma MacGregor have opened an exclusive gown "Shoppe" on Commonwealth Avenue. Constance Beecher

and Helen Mew are the attractive models.

Betty Florance, Helene Schnurbush, and Doris Climo are co-authors of a book, "Women in Athletics."

Katherine Miller is secretary of the Chase and Sanborn Company and

is kept busy answering Charlie McCarthy's fan mail.

Virginia Lambert and Betty Guillow are proprietors of a Gypsy Tea Room on the Newburyport Turnpike, and entertain all the wealthy people of that section.

Ruth Wells is private secretary to the Vice-President of the United

The world's famous concert pianist, Edna Allen, has just returned from a six month's concert tour of Europe.

Christina Atkinson has just been appointed private secretary to the

President of the United States, Robert King.

Hilda Oster is Principal of the "Happy Youngsters Kindergarten" in Lynnfield Center, with Dorothy Petras as her assistant.

Grethel Preble is following in her father's footsteps and is chemistry

teacher in Wakefield High School.

Ruth Bill has become a successful business woman and manages several hotels in Florida, with Frances Brown as assistant manager.

Anne Raustis is a saleswoman for Barbara Gould's beauty cosmetics.

Alice Sedgley is secretary for the Lindsay Airways Company.

Holly Cobb has taken the place of Jeanette MacDonald in the operatic world.

Margaret Costello is a noted critic for the National Broadcasting Company. Jean Gates advertises beauty cosmetics on the same station.

The Harvard football team is coached by John Guttadauro, assisted by Richard Griffin.

Edward Habermann has won a place on the United States Olympic

team and travels around the country with his pretty wife, Priscilla Fisher Habermann.

Phyllis Hampton has returned to her Alma Mater to take the place of Mr. Fisher in instructing the students in history.

Claire Montague has become a dress designer for the Pictorial Review Magazine.

Rukah—"Here is another set. Suppose you read it." (Hands material

to Marjorie Wells.)

Irene Montague is a cloak and suit model with the "Bon Ton Shoppe," operated by Flora Eldredge and Rosemary Golden.

Thomas Hurton is behind the receiving controls in the radio room of

the U. S. S. Lexington, heading for foreign waters.

William Blanchard and his "Melody Makers" are broadcasting every week from the ballroom of some night-club in the heart of New York City.

Roger Burke is on the Wakefield High School faculty, doing his best

as physical director, and biology teacher.

Roger Carley has a shipyard in Quincy, and will build yachts for seaminded people of Boston.

Maurice Carter is in Paris, designing women's styles, and will be an authority for all the world.

Howard Christie, acting as Governor of Massachusetts, has cleaned up the State.

Leo Daly is the class photographer for the year 1958, and all the Seniors will flock to him to hear the "birdie sing."

Howard Davis is the United States Ambassador to Albania.

Benjamin Falabella is flying the first rocket-ships from the earth to the moon.

Gladys Wilson is located at Cairo, Egypt, where she will be studying the Sphinx to find out its secret, to use in her next book.

John Whitford is the school doctor and will come to school to inspect tonsils, make tests, and examine teeth.

Lawrence Wade is a successful insurance salesman.

Katherine Titus is head nurse at a prominent Boston hospital, specializing in the study of bacteria.

John Thompson, the forester, is located in the Maine woods, warning off hunters and preserving the wild game.

Kenneth Grout is an Income Tax Collector.

Kenneth Shaw, aeronautical engineer, is located at the Newark, N. J., Airport, overhauling the motors of planes.

Robert Schuman is completing his musical education in Italy.

James Brady has joined the Homicide Squad in New York,, where he will enter the Secret Sérvice to track down dangerous criminals.

Robert Fall is famous as an inventor in his laboratory on top of a modern sky-scraper.

Rukah—"Will you take this one?" (He hands another set of slips to Donald Woods, who reads):

Charles Barrows is an automobile salesman for the Chrysler Company. Louis Climo has become a star basketball player and wins many games. He is also coach for University of Minnesota.

William Dennett is an announcer for WEEL.

Warren Hawkes specializes in automobile repairs, especially in Buicks.

Robert Hayward has become a transport pilot for the American Airways, N. S.

Donald Hill has perfected an engine for aircraft, a high speed motor. Lawrence Holoway will become a hospital assistant in a large state sylum.

John Kane will be a successful automobile racer. Edward Kohler has a fine position as airport official.

In an important position, we find Joseph Laurino, in the factory of Donald Woods, making a new model for aircraft with greater carrying power.

Edmond Loughlin is a noted duck hunter.

Paul Olstinski is manager of the largest hotel in Boston, and Margaret Reeves is the hotel hostess.

Hugan Morgan is a great radio entertainer at Hollywood.

Gilbert Oakes has followed his father's footsteps and is a noted lapidary. His gems and gold articles are sought eagerly.

Patrick Walsh is a life saver in Hawaii.

Mary Saunders has become the world's foremost statistician and is Chief of Staff in Washington.

Doctor Rukah—"Take this one, please." (He gives slips to Mary

Lazzaro, who reads):

Dorothy Anderson is secretary to the Governor of Massachusetts, and Nancy Twombly is Secretary of State.

Bradford Baker is camp director at Wakesau.

John Barry is president of a large electric corporation in Lynn.

Albert Funk is cartoonist for Cyril Harper's newspaper.

Ralph Barthelmes demonstrates a new food article at club meetings and over the radio.

Frederick Johnson acts as statistician for "Babson." George Hayes is principal of Malden High School.

Vincent Nutile and John Hurton are golf champions both here and abroad.

Edward Callan is a noted actor, especially in Shakesperean roles.

Joseph O'Toole is business manager for a large brokerage firm on Wall Street, and John Del Rossi is bond salesman for the same firm.

Cortlandt Clarke is gymnasium director at Wakefield Y. M. C. A. Gardner Campbell, Jr., will be the first to climb to the top of Mount Everest.

Robert Pohl is publicity manager for the N. Y. Tribune. Herbert Roberts writes many interesting stories of adventure.

John Paulson is Captain Paulson of a tramp steamer to the Indies.

William Burke is an advertising solicitor.

Martin Neremberg is house detective for Times Square Hotel, N. Y. Paul Champagne is theatre manager for B. F. Keith Theatre chain. Alice Coldwell is dean of a large college in the West.

Henry McConville is a noted surgeon and a professor at Jefferson Medical College.

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Rukah—"Here is this one; take it, please." He gives another set to Katherine Miller, who reads:

Edna Colby is a teacher of English in Africa.

Thomas Hickey is a famous hurdler and will win in Olympics.

Henry Holden is a public accountant, stationed at Washington, D. C. Charles Hopkins is an automobile racer and will beat the present world's record.

Bernard McDonald is a famous hockey star, a member of the championship team on which Stephen MacDonald is also a great player.

Andrew Rombult is president of a large, well-known gum factory.

Mildred Paulson is a noted physics instructor and will experiment with molecules, separating them to transmit over the radio.

Olive Muse and Eleanor O'Connell are both connected with a well-

known hospital, acting as head nurse and dietician respectively.

Gertrude Precourt is chemist and biologist in the laboratory for the University of Michigan.

Helen Norton is expert accountant for the Shawmut Bank of Boston. Kenneth Lindsay is winning motorcyclist at the races, and set a new speed record.

Sebastian Tine is professor at Harvard University and a well known

writer.

Constance Applin is dean, and Florence Cragin is librarian at Simmons College.

Phyllis Prince is teacher of French at Oxford College in Ohio. Robert Reed is head of a large school of music in Philadelphia.

Concetto Tine is business manager for a chain of stores in competition with the First National Stores.

Marjorie Baldwin is a hostess on a passenger plane between New York and Chicago.

Maxine McNamara is teaching dramatics to theatrical children.

Mary Lazzaro and Edna LeDuc are employed by the John Hancock Insurance Co.

Margery Tyler and Ina Harvey—nurses at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital—are doing fine work assisting Doctor Maurice Morin of the hospital staff.

Rukah—"Ralph Pratola, will you read this set?"

Ralph reads:

William Hatch is the future superintendent of schools in Wakefield. Ralph Johnson is the idol of millions over the ether waves, crooning the latest hit songs, which will be heard from Europe to the Grand "Banks."

George Leach is one of those painless dentists, and his door shingle reads: "Dr. George Leach—all entering this door will walk out faster than they walked in."

Donald MacKay, who is a radio announcer for one of the large stations, will broadcast the horse-racing results direct from the race tracks.

Earl Richard is the future chief of police in Wakefield, and law and order will be enforced by him and his fellow officers.

Ernestine Rose is the secretary to the governor of Massachusetts. Robert Simmons is a fisherman at the Grand Banks.

Arthur Ayscough has a large undertaking establishment in Wakefield. Louis Quinzio has taken the place of "Doc" Cramer as center-fielder for the Boston Red Sox.

Edith Taylor and her husband, "Will" Neal, a Medford lad, are on a honeymoon trip to the World's Fair in London.

Ralph Pratola and Walter Doucette, two professional golf champions, have recently left for England, where they are to take part in a national tournament.

The Boston & Maine R. R. has just hired two new employees: Zenon Zagaja as a certified public accountant and George Casper as an expert engineer for the new Flying Yankee. Both men, although at their first jobs after leaving college, are bound to succeed and have a very successful future ahead of them.

John Doherty has become an expert civil engineer for our town, and

he has recently employed Bradford Frautten as his stenographer.

Salvatore Canino, mandolinist, has just been added to Salvatore Guiliano's orchestra, playing popular string music over station WHBS under the direction of the station's most popular broadcaster, Lawrence DiDonato.

Virginia Woods has become a successful private secretary for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company of our town, and also working in an office of this same company you will find Ann Staniski.

We have two new coaches competing against each other. For Wake-field High's football squad is Joseph Foley, and for the Melrose squad we

find Joseph DeFelice.

As editor for the basketball line-ups in the Boston Globe is Dominic DiDonato. He is doing expert work and has gained many readers who follow his columns daily.

Edward Adams has become an accountant for the Chase & Sanborn

Company.

Of course, everyone knows that daring air pilot, William Dufault, at the East Boston Airport.

Evelyn Whitney has become a stenographer for a handsome attorney-

at-law in Cuba, and rumor says a wedding is in prospect.

In Wakefield's busiest section we find Alfred Petrucci as manager of the new chain store.

Rukah—"Fred Palmerino, do you care to read this set?"

Fred reads:

Laura Antonioli is a private secretary, and Marjorie Wells a stenographer in the Smith & Smith Company.

Joseph Bisso is the master of ceremonies in a hill-billy band which

is known as "The Western Cowboys."

Olympia D'Ambrosia is an accounting professor in Boston University. Margaret Murphy is a dietician in the new Wakefield Hospital.

Dorothy Perrone and Gaetana Marino established a great business firm in which Florence Mosher and Hazel Worters have positions as stenographers.

Catherine Duane and Jacqueline Gibbs are conducting a successful

gift shop, "THE TOTEM POLE."

Bernice Fraughton has opened a branch beauty parlor of which Dorothy Joyce is to have charge.

Margaret Dalton has a position as private secretary in a firm called

"The Metropolitan Insurance Company."

Carrie Gray and Delma Staples have positions as stenographers in

a large business firm.

John Cronin is the owner of a large men's store, in which Robert Cook has a position as clerk.

Clair Hendryx is the author of a nationally known comic strip.

Edward Maloney is head lawyer in the Édward Pawlowski Sugar Company, and Melvin Levine will be overseer of the company's sugar fields in Hawaii. Virginia Wheeler will be the announcer in their radio program.

Willard Flint is a noted professor who will teach about the moon.

Frank Spang is an engineer and will rebuild the Honeymoon Bridge across Niagara Falls. Barbara Smith will be the first to cross.

Lorraine O'Donnell is a librarian in the Public Library in Washing-

ton, D. C.

Margaret Stewart is head chemist in a company manufacturing perfume.

Norma Teague is dean of a girls' school in Texas.

John Warner, as an engineer, will build a skyscraper higher than the Empire State Building.

Rukah—"Edith Taylor, here is another set, will you read it?"

Edith reads:

James Guttadauro, a coach, turns out another winning basketball team at Dartmouth.

Robert Bennett is promoter and Charles Cicciarella is manager of Madison Square Gardens.

Catherine MacGillivray is writing a daily column on interior deco-

rating.

Augustine Tecce is the new head coach of the University of Southern California.

Phyllis Reid, designer, in collaboration with Madeline Muse, expert on what to wear, and how, has added a new column to the woman's page of the paper.

Caroline Cosman is athletic director in a girls' school run by Dorothy Davis and Martha Greenleaf. Barbara Fairweather is the registrar of the girls, Doris Fairfield the riding teacher, and Rose Gregoria teaches algebra.

Mary Jack is a noted hairdresser and will travel to Paris for styles. Catherine Merrill will model for magazine covers and cigarette advertisements.

Frank Tredinnick is our representative in the League of Nations.

John King will be noted for his filibustering in the United States Senate.

Elizabeth Griffiths is a kindergarten teacher for the children of the President of the United States.

Elizabeth Fanck is owner and publisher of a magazine, Janet Rockwood is assistant editor, June Mosher is the fashion expert, and Marguerite Dinan writes "Advice to the Lovelorn."

Natalie Robinson is a noted dietician.

June Whitney is an orthopedic surgeon who has become especially interested in curing deformed feet of children.

Dorothy Willis is a voice teacher.

Sophie Yazinka is a director of playgrounds.

Rukah—"George Tremblay, please read this set."

George reads:

Margaret Daley is the head accountant for the Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Barbara Martin has opened her beauty parlor in New York, and has

chosen Marie Costa and Doris Gutro as her able assistants.

Paul Lally, the King of Swing, has just returned from a two weeks' engagement in New York with Benny Goodman.

Fred Palmerino is superintendent of the Rombult's Chu-More-Gum

Company, and Henrietta Yazinka is his secretary.

Marguerite Harper, Mary Burns, and Hazel Anderson have fine positions and are successful teachers at a well-known Boston Business School.

Florence Jillett is a noted radio critic for the National Broadcasting Company. Norma Killam advertises beauty cosmetics on the same station.

Marjorie Ayer is a proprietor of many Maine tourists camps.

Catherine Dulong and Kathleen Dunlea are dean and librarian re-

spectively at Simmons College.

The High Air Line Company is fortunate in having a beautiful girl Betty Kimball, for a stewardess on their largest plane, flying between Spain and Tibet.

At the Copeland Roof Garden of New York City are starred Dot Riley, famous tap dancer, and Mary Ryan, popular singer, who have just returned from Europe, where they have been making personal appearances.

Helen Muse is writing editorials for her home-town newspaper on

"Bringing Up Hubby." She has learned all the knacks.

One of our greatest salesladies is Ernestine Woods, who is selling correspondence courses in hairdressing. She operates her own beauty shop on Fifth Avenue, New York City.

Woodrow Millett is an accountant in a very famous bank in South

America.

A judge in our most fashionable divorce court, Hermie Habermann, has been working on a case of Mary Tecce Martino versus Frank Martino, which left poor Frankie with ill effects. He is now in the hospital being well taken care of by Shirley Nickerson, a competent little nurse.

We hear that Peter Jencsolik is way back in the country raising pigs and chickens at a great profit. Billy Thompson, his handy man, was gored by a gentle bull the other day but is recovering nicely from the

effects.

Ada Schefisch is private secretary to the president of the "Neva-Tye-

Schoe Lace Co." of Bingville, Massachusetts.

John Riley, the editor of that famous newspaper for the blind, "The Blind Man's Bluff", recently sent his star reporter, Marjorie Thistle, to

Alaska to get the low-down on harpooning.

Ken Whipling and George Tremblay are co-partners in the position of captain of an ocean liner running between New York and the South Sea Islands. Bill Meuse is their chief cook and bottle washer. There is also a happily married couple taking the voyage—namely, Teddy Robbins and Virginia, nee Lloyd.

Eva Monegan is advertising "Easy Open Can Openers," special for the new brides, on station WHAT every Tuesday afternoon at 1.30 p.m.

Shirley Simpson and Phyllis Stone returned about a week ago from France, where Phyllis has been studying and Shirley making a personal

appearance at "Le Comedie Francais." They are now en route to Hollywood where they will be starred in "The Farmerettes" with Bill Sparks and John Spiby playing the leading male roles.

Our famous dancer, Dot Surette, has just invented a new dance step called "The Little Plum," which is sweeping the country like wild-fire.

All the slips being read, Marjorie Wells speaks as all shake hands with the scientist: "Well, this completes the class list. We thank you, Doctor Rukah, for taking all this trouble. I am sure that when we return to Earth and tell the members of the Class of 1938 what the machine said about our lives in the years to come, they will eagerly watch to see whether or not it all comes true. Now it is time for our plane to take off. Good bye, and thank you again."

THE END.

Recollections of the Class of '63

(An Interview)

It has already been our privilege to commemorate, at our graduation, the seventy-fifth anniversary of the first class that was graduated from Wakefield High School, the Class of 1863. Wakefield, at that time, was known as South Reading. Mr. Elam Porter was principal and Miss Marion Sweetser the assisting instructor. The prescribed course of three years included such subjects as English, spelling, reading, Latin, French, arithmetic, history, and some astronomy. There was also a light course in gymnastics in which the girls were proud to be able to participate. Two of the twelve graduates are now living: Mrs. Mary Mansfield Marshall of Brighton and Mrs. Laura Eaton Keith of Wakefield. Recently it was our pleasure to visit Mrs. Keith, who in her own eager fashion commented on their school life and their interesting activities.

Mrs. Keith first told us that the high school was located in the old town hall, near the old Congregational Church. Its exact location would

be about where the band stand is now.

"On the day that I completed grammar school, I returned home somewhat unhappy, for I did not wish to leave grammar school just so that I might enter High School. As soon as I was started, though, I enjoyed it; those were very happy days."

"What subject did you most enjoy, Mrs. Keith?", we asked.

"I don't remember exactly," she responded. "When one is ninety-two years of age, seventy-five years is a long span to remember, as you will realize when you are as old as I. All of my studies were pleasant. I

think Latin might have been my favorite.

Concerning the methods of teaching Mrs. Keith revealed many interesting facts. "You know, we weren't allowed to talk French, but merely to read it. We had very little mathematics. Frequently there were some matches in spelling, and besides these there were matches in history dates. One pupil would give a date, and the corresponding incident would have

to be supplied," she explained.

Next we were informed of the frequent visits of the School Trustees, as they were then called. They asked any questions they wished; these questions could concern any subject so that students could not possibly have previous preparation. Today we would consider such proceedings to be rather severe tests of the student's ability. One of the worst ordeals of such an occasion was to be confronted with two subjects on which to write an essay. It was necessary to choose one of the two topics and then write—on the spur of the moment! Mrs. Keith remembered that she was once called upon to read her essay. When she presented it to the examiner, who was a relative of hers, he said, "I can't read it, Laura, the writing is too small."

It was on a Saturay morning in April, 1863, that the twelve members of the graduating class were called together to be officially examined by the School Trustees in the presence of parents. (I wonder whether we would consider that last fact an advantage or a disadvantage). Luncheons were carried so that the session might last the entire day. Besides the examinations, there was gymnasium work in appropriate costumes. It was on this day also that the graduating class presented Mr. Elam Porter

with a dictionary, a token of their respect and appreciation of his guidance.

In reply to my queries concerning honor students, Mrs. Keith said "Yes, we had two honor students. Mrs. Mansfield was the valedictorian, and I was the salutatorian. We were very happy when the day came, and many parties and teas were held at the homes of the various graduates. Everybody participated in the graduation, for despite the exercises, each student was compelled to write a theme and then read it to the audience."

(Mrs. Keith and Mrs. Mansfield were speakers according to a grad-

uation plan similar to that of ours.)

Before we left, Mrs. Keith had her diploma brought out for our inspection. It is about four times as large as ours, but it is similar in that it contains the names of the School Trustees. It also bears the following statement: "Laura Lou Eaton having been a member of the High School in South Reading for the term of three years and having completed the prescribed course of studies in this Institution is entitled by exemplary conduct and the faithful performance of this duty to this Diploma, April 29, 1863."

Mrs. Keith is proud to have been honored by our class. It is the second occasion on which she has been honored, for both Mrs. Marshall and she were present at the first assembly in the present building. After having acquired much information and many incidents which are too detailed to include in this account, we left Mrs. Keith. She extended her hearty and kind wishes for a happy graduation and success for every member of the Class of 1938.

KATHARINE NUTT, '38

THE BERKSHIRE FESTIVAL—OUR MUSIC HERITAGE

KATHARINE NUTT, Salutatorian

Friends of the Class of 1938:

In behalf of my classmates it is my privilege to welcome you upon this twofold occasion—the celebration of our graduation and the commemoration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the first graduating class of Wakefield High School, which, in 1863, was located in old South Reading. Of the twelve graduates, two are living: Mrs. Mary Mansfield Marshall of Brighton and Mrs. Laura Eaton Keith of Wakefield. At the youthful age of ninety-two both women have contributed to this program by kindly giving us letters and interviews, detailed accounts of which will appear in our yearbook tomorrow. A few words concerning these eminent women and their classmates of long ago are appropriate at this time. The school session lasted throughout the day, and the students also attended a half day on Saturdays. Their subjects consisted of English, spelling, Latin, French translation, and history. The girls were permitted to participate in very light forms of gymnastics. Mr. Elam Porter, the Principal, and Miss Marion Sweetser were the only teachers the school possessed. Frequently, members of the school committee visited the classes; they compelled students to answer all types of questions without previous preparation. It is interesting to note that the two living members were the honor students, for Mrs. Marshall was valedictorian and Mrs. Keith was salutatorian

Since that first graduating class represented a marked advancement in education in this district, we have deemed it fitting to choose as our theme of this program, "Our New England Heritage—The Noble Record of Man's Thoughts, His Deeds, His Dreams." Tonight I shall endeavor to reveal to you the means by which "man's dreams" have made the Berkshire Festival our heritage in music.

When our nation was young in prestige, the center of all her art was our own Boston; for here pioneers of every field assembled and advanced their beliefs. After a time, other cities wrested some commercial and political prestige from Boston; yet with customary New England vigor, we never failed to discriminate between the good and the bad or doubtful. In the mountains and valleys of Vermont, New Hampshire, and Maine, from the hills of Massachusetts to the narrow, stretching expanse of Cape Cod, in industrial Connecticut and Rhode Island lies the ineffaceable stamp of the noble ideals and lofty dreams of New Englanders, ideals sufficiently strong to create a force in individuals—the force to make their dreams abundant realities.

As an example of this force we find in our own Berkshires a small group—stalwart inheritors of the steadfastness typical of New England people. This group of individuals has created for us the essence of a great movement in American music—a movement which is expressive of our own New England heritage.

Acting upon the suggestion of our eminent Massachusetts composer, the late Henry Hadley, Miss Gertrude Robinson Smith and Mrs. Owen Johnson of Stockbridge endeavored to arouse interest in a Berkshire Symphonic Festival and to assemble a board of trustees which, however, was not incorporated according to law until 1935. It was in the previous

summer, then, that the Berkshire Symphonic Festival, the most potential American movement ever to have been attempted in our music, had its somewhat unpretentious beginning. The praise for this, now an American institution, must be directed toward our own New England and to Massachusetts in particular.

The first year, the series of three concerts of which the Festival was comprised were held in a horseshoe ring in Stockbridge. Henry Hadley conducted the orchestra, composed of sixty-five members of the New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra. Approximately two thousand persons were in attendance at each concert. The deficit was slight, and enthusiasm was rising.

In 1935 the second Festival took place with Mr. Hadley again conducting; this time the orchestra consisted of men from various groups, but the resulting assembly was disappointing. Progress had been made in that the organization now possessed a huge tent as insurance against rain. The acoustics within the tent was reputed to be excellent. The 1935 deficit had increased to a rather alarming degree. It was for that reason that John C. Lynch, United States financier and resident of Stockbridge, and George Edman of the *Berkshire Evening Eagle* were first to express the constructive opinion that if the Festival were to continue—to say nothing of its being expanded—a unit orchestra certainly should be engaged. By communication on the part of these gentlemen with George Judd of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, the enthusiasm of Koussevitsky and the trustees was kindled to the extent that they agreed to participate in the 1936 series, or the third year of the Berkshire Symphonic Festival.

The progress, the expansion, the success of the Festival dates from the Boston Symphonic Orchestra's co-ordination with the former. Indeed, in 1936 it remained for our own Boston representatives to seize the Festival from its experimental period and steer it toward success, toward a promising, glorious future. Koussevitsky took his men to "Holmwood," the estate of Mrs. Margaret Emerson. It is noteworthy that the series was completed with no deficit whatsoever, probably the first time such a large out-of-door concert has even been accomplished without financial loss to the sponsors. The secret? Merely that the Festival now had an enthusiast whose very rank as a musician lent him the influence and the daring to determine a standard—a goal for the Berkshire Festivals-to-be.

The Berkshire Symphonic Festival is not to be confused with Mrs. Elizabeth Sprague Coolidge's annual concerts of chamber music, for hers

was for some years known as the Berkshire Festival.

We may think of this woman's ventures as being the means by which cultural interest in western Massachusetts was kept alive—interest which was necessary before our present Berkshire Festival could come into being. Between the two enterprises are three essential differences. Mrs. Coolidge's present concerts are limited to personal friends, and are cosmopolitan in the musicians and composers employed. On the other hand, the Berkshire Festival offers all types of symphonic music, is open to the public, is distinctly American in aspect, and will develop to be more American. Herein, then, is the underlying difference.

It was in the months following the 1936 season that the momentous milestone in the Festival's history was reached. It was apparent to many that a permanent home for the Festival was necessary, but no definite at-

tempts at securing one were then made. Many times in the past it has been evident that any ideal or project deserving of a place in the world has attained its permanence; so it was in this case. Mrs. Gorham Brooks, a resident of Brookline, with her aunt, Miss Mary Aspinwall Tappan, presented her country estate and childhood home to the organization. The estate is indeed a true home, for Mrs. Brooks' gift has rendered the Festival historical background and atmosphere that a young movement rarely possesses except after years of endeavor and success.

Let us review the "local color" of the Stockbridge and Lenox regions in order that we may realize the true heritage which is ours in this Berkshire Festival. Stockbridge has long been a district of cultural interests. The actresses, Charlotte Cushman and Fanny Kemble, lived there. Edith Wharton and the Sedgewicks had been associated with the district. William James, Melville, Emerson, and other prominent philosophers and socialists met there, for Stockbridge was in a real sense the autumn meeting place of the Concord School.

"Tanglewood," the name of the estate given by Mrs. Brooks, is located between Lenox and Stockbridge, and it possesses lovely scenic beauty not unlike that of Wordsworth's English lake country.

One might consider this rich cultural history to be sufficient in itself. but there is yet one more fact of great significance. On the Tappan estate, at the rear of the orchard was a tiny, rambling red farmhouse, and in that low structure once lived Nathaniel Hawthorne. During his sojourn there, spent in writing and in exploring the beautiful country nearby, Hawthorne wrote his *House of the Seven Gables* and the *Tanglewood Tales*, in honor of which Mr. Tappan named his estate "Tanglewood"—the name needs no explanation, for it is, as one would infer, significant of the natural splendor of the region. "Tanglewood", new home of the Berkshire Festival—a heritage indeed!

Last year during the fortnight of the Festival's duration, the guests, among whom were many distinguished personages as well as tourists and the native farmers, were at liberty to wander over the grounds of Tanglewood, and to see the bronze tablet near the south gate which commemorates Hawthorne's memory and the little red cottage which was destroyed by fire nearly a half century ago. It was not an infrequent occasion to encounter violinists "tuning up" in the flower beds or to see Dr. Koussevitsky's baton directing a rehearsal up in the hills. Mrs. Brooks herself was among those who encountered double bass players practicing in the stalls of the stable.

Last summer under Doctor Koussevitsky's supervision the series was expanded to include six concerts. Special trains from Boston and New York accommodated persons who did not wish to remain throughout the fortnight. The number who spent the two nights in the district, however, filled hotels and necessitated food concessions. All Stockbridge and surrounding towns had become conscious of the great activity; as a result all the autumn entertainments were held early for the benefit of the concert-goers. Olin Downes, music critic for the New York Times, gave lectures preceding the programs so that the composers and their works might be readily appreciated by the listeners. The programs themselves included the best works of such composers as Wagner, Beethoven, Tschaikowsky, Schubert, Franck, and several modern composers such as Stravinsky;

however, there was a noticeable absence of Bach's works. A composition by Edward Burlingame Hill, a native of this state, had its first official performance at the second concert. The work, *Sinfonietta for String Orchestra* was praised highly.

Although the thunder-storms greatly embellished the playing of such compositions as Wagner's *Ride of the Valkyries* or cleared the air for a performance of Beethoven's *Pastoral Symphony*, in most cases participation of the natural elements was not appreciated; hence, Dr. Koussevitsky demanded that an adequate building in which to play be provided.

With enthusiasm typical of the progress of the Festival thus far, committees were soon obtaining money for a fund with which to build an amphitheater somewhat unceremoniously called "the music shed." The cost will be \$100,000 and thus far over \$80,000 has been obtained by gifts from \$1 to \$10,000. Equipped with a soundproof roof, open sides, and acoustics especially studied and arranged, the out-of-door concert hall will seat 5,000 and an additional 1,000 under the colonnades. The stage is to be only temporary so that whatever form the Festival's expansion may take, adequate means of presentation may be assured. The auditorium will not be completed in time for the series of next August, but it will be ready for use.

Without doubt the Festival will be enlarged in its scope. Dr. Koussevitsky would like to make it an academy for young American conductors who show unusual talent. It is his hope also that opera may be presented, and that the Greek tragedies may be revived. This August the Festival will last at least a fortnight, and besides the customary symphonic music the last acts of Wagner's Siegfried and Die Walkure will be presented with soloists. The Saint Cecilia Club of Boston will take part in a performance of Beethoven's Ninth Symphony. The dominant principle of the whole Berkshire Festival organization was stated by Koussevitsky who said, "We are not endeavoring to surpass Salzburg or the other great European festivals; we may rival them, but ours is to remain an American institution.

Miss Smith, the President of the organization, and her trustees are less definite than Boston's maestro concerning their plans for the future. As Mr. Edman, a member of the board expressed it, "We don't know exactly where we're going." From this remark, however, we are not to infer that the enterprise has no standards or ideals, but rather that their ideals are definite but many; hence it is difficult to discern what type of

Today in New England as pioneers we look upon our latest venture. Its development has been rapid, but natural and practical. The Berkshire Festival is as deeply rooted as the mightiest elm; it is as American as the soil itself. Nobody who hears immortal music echoed by our New England Berkshire Hills fails to catch something of the wonder, the richness, and the staunchness of our living heritage in music.

A SCIENTIST IN EDUCATION

HELENE SCHNURBUSH, Honor Pupil

One of New England's most remarkable men of the modern day is James Bryant Conant, President of Harvard University. Conant, New England born and bred, is a real product of our New England heritage, and he has contributed greatly to the "rich record of man's thoughts, his deeds, his dreams."

He was born March 26, 1893, in the Dorchester section of Boston. He went to Roxbury Latin School instead of Groton or St. Mark's. Even as a boy he was intensely interested in chemistry. His father recognized this taste and built a small lean-to for him to use as a laboratory. Although he spent little time in sports, Conant played football and tennis.

Ile studied chemistry under the guidance of Professor Henry Black at Roxbury Latin School, where he prepared for Harvard. Jim Conant made his own way, earned his own living. His old teacher at Roxbury Latin, Professor Black, tells how once the tow-headed lad came to him with what he claimed was an induction coil, an empty chalk box containing a bolt wound with wire, and tied to an electric bell mechanism as a circuit-breaker. The boy couldn't get it going.

"You don't expect to make that go, do you, Jim?"

"I've got to, because father said he'd buy me a real induction coil if I did."

Today the lad who made that contraption work heads a \$120,000,000 corporation.

In the fall of 1910, Conant entered Harvard, where he specialized in chemistry. He received an A.B. degree a year before the rest of his class, and spent his senior year in working for a steel company. After he had served for several seasons as an instructor in chemistry at Harvard, the war broke out and interrupted his academic life.

He became an officer in the army. On June 12, 1918, he discovered that the formerly priceless secret of G34, otherwise known as lewisite, the most deadly gas in existence, could be manufactured in a laboratory. Immediately he was sent to the Mousetrap. This was a factory which manufactured lewisite at Willoughby, Ohio. It was surrounded by high fences topped with barbed wire and patrolled day and night by troops. Once inside, a person could not get out for the duration of the war, because Uncle Sam didn't want the news of the new gas to spread around. There Conant was, younger than the man in command, yet a high ranking officer with the secret of the gas at his disposal. Cooped up with hundreds of others in close confinement, day after day, working at high pressure, sleeping in his office, always in the greatest danger, he was up against a serious problem. However, it was James Conant's broad administrative ability, his tact and good nature, his winning smile, his cool handling of difficulties and of human relationships which saved things, which welded all the various groups into an effective working body concentrated upon one end alone. He was not in charge, but he was the one most frequently consulted; he was the leader who got things done.

A few years later in 1921, the war had passed, and he became an instructor at Cambridge. In this year, he was married to Grace Thayer Richards, the daughter of Professor Theodore Richards, his old chemistry professor. Soon after his marriage, he began to distinguish himself in chemistry.

Conant's eminence as a chemist is due to his pioneering instincts. His field is organic chemistry, which deals with those complicated compounds found in plant and animal life. Conant is one of the first organic specialists whose training was wholly American. He trained under his fatherin-law, Theodore Richards, a Nobel Prize winner. He has what his associates call "scientific imagination," which means that he has the gift of intuitive guessing—he can peer ahead and see things.

President Conant is now forty-five years of age, but he looks much less than that. There's an extremely appealing and boyish air about him, probably because he is tall and thin. Years of work over malodorous sinks and test tubes have brought a permanent stoop to his shoulders. He is very well tailored now, a marked change from the baggy comfort of his chemistry days. He has deep blue eyes, a mass of blonde hair with a touch of gray, and a large mouth which can break into a warm, sincere, friendly smile. He has a well modulated voice, and he looks exactly what he is—a professor in a New England University. No poses, no pretenses, no affectation about him. He is an affable gentleman who has already learned the first trick of all major executives—to give the impression of leisure even when his day is most pressing, and he has fallen behind in his appointments. In finance he has the cool shrewdness of his New England upbringing, added to the natural keenness of the scientist. The new President of Harvard is simple, direct, modest, and unassuming, not in the least impressive or imposing. The outstanding characteristic of Conant, like all big men, is his simplicity.

The choice of Conant for the presidency of Harvard University was the work of the Harvard Corporation, the governing unit of the University which consists of the President and six Fellows. When President Lowell, in November, 1932, announced his retirement, the Corporation decided that each Fellow should make a list of possible successors. Prominent on each list was Conant's name. This was a surprise, for each had supposed that Conant was unknown to the others, except as an extraordinarily able chemist. They discovered, among major things, that Conant was regarded as an excellent administrator in the Chemistry Department; that he had a passion for first-rate mentalities and was more than a little intolerant of mediocrities; that he was, for a scientist, exceedingly well-read in literature, history, and economics. On one pretext or another, each Fellow called on him and returned an enthusiastic Conantite. By April they had reached their decision, and on the 9th of October, 1933, James Bryant Conant was inaugurated President of Harvard.

New England simplicity was particularly manifest in the service of his formal induction into this great office. The service was not the typical academic inauguration. The college "captains" and "kings" were not present. Salutations from other colleges were not offered. Addresses interpreting the higher education were not spoken. The service was a simple ceremonial of the plainest type. Its place was the historic Faculty Room whose walls are hung with portraits of the great Harvard men of the last hundred years. The service was a duplication of the formal induction of President Everett of the year 1707. The whole inauguration in atmos-

phere, in place, in every exercise was indicative of the simplicity of character and of the life of the new president and his New England heritage. In this simplicity are found the genuine humility of spirit and the modesty of manner which belong to him as a personal and administrative asset.

Few people realize the importance of being President of a large university. His tasks are many and varied, and at each he must excel. He really has five jobs in one. First, he must be a super-salesman. The modern college president sells his institution to the world-at-large. He must attract students, and he must obtain money to carry along, for no college pays its way by tuition or legislative grants alone. He must also be a financial expert. Today the endowment fund at Harvard, on the interest of which the university keeps alive, is \$123,000,000, a sum which must be kept intact, wisely invested, carefully guarded. A super-salesman, a super-financier, he has to be a super-executive also. Harvard today has 1,600 officers of instruction, tutors, professors, deans, and others, as well as a maintenance force of 2,600. For the hiring and firing of this huge number, for the proper performance of their work, for selecting the right men for the right place, the President is responsible.

He must be a leader and an educator. Eight thousand young men at Cambridge, Massachusetts, look to this man for leadership and inspiration. Lastly, he has to be an administrator. He must co-ordinate the university into a smooth-running machine. He is responsible for the budget. Withal, he is an autocrat. The head of a corporation comparable to our greatest industrial concerns, his powers are greater far than those of the leaders of such concerns. He is answerable to no board of directors, he bothers with no dividends to stockholders, he deals only with the overseers, who often know little about the university and that through him alone.

Aside from these problems which confront Conant, he has two aims which he will try to realize. In the last decades of the last century and in the first decade of the present, Harvard enrolled as members of its faculties the greatest American scholars and teachers. In a single generation one recalls such names as James Russell Lowell, Louis Agassiz, Benjamin Peirce, Asa Gray. Wolcott Gibbs, Henry Adams, and many others of equal significance. These names represent a force of scholarship and of teaching unique in American college history. But in the more recent years has occurred a lamentable decline. The illustrious list has been devastated by death and by age. It will be the function of the new president to restore, if scholars can be found, this unique greatness. The service is a most difficult one; but it is as important for Harvard, and for the higher learning in the United States and the world, as it is difficult.

A second problem belonging to the new administration is the problem of the advancement of knowledge. To quote President Conant, "A desire to know more about the difficult sides of a question, a craving to understand something of the opinions of other people and other times, mark the educated man." He believes education is more than what you get out of books. For the new president this problem of advancement of knowledge is both timely and urgent. Yet whatever answer is given, it is clear the enlargement of the broad field of knowledge is to be achieved.

At present we know that Conant will bear to Harvard the virtue and the atmosphere of scholastic and administrative simplicity, a noble sense of reality, and an emphasis upon the fundamental elements of education. A great chemist himself, he will contribute the directness in method and the effectiveness of the laboratory to the worth of the administrative office. In a word, simplicity will be the prevailing characteristic. The promise of an administration which will worthily follow the terms of his greatest predecessors is rich. To James Bryant Conant, education is the most valuable possession a person can have. He believes the youth of America needs to realize the value of education and the importance of knowing how to meet life today. In one of his most famous speeches, he presents this statement: "What we do need are citizens who will examine seriously and discuss vigorously the many difficult problems with which the times present us." And this is what he aims to produce in developing the bright potentialities of Harvard University.

CONTEMPORARY INTERPRETER OF NEW ENGLAND LIFE

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Our New England heritage is revealed with shrewd insight into the character of our progenitors by two Maine writers whose youthful lives were spent amid those surroundings of which we are so proud today. I speak of Mary Ellen Chase and Robert Tristram Coffin. Their subjects are treated differently, for persons of contrasting temperament vary in their interpretations of life. Miss Chase, in particular, dwells especially on the love of learning and the religious faith of our forefathers; whereas Mr. Coffin treats of the dignity and simplicity of life. Both writers impress us with the beauty of our New England heritage.

Mary Ellen Chase was born in Blue Hill, a small village on the Maine coast, in the late eighties. Her home life was similar to that of other children of her age in New England. She had her chores to do; the vegetable garden which fed the family in summer had to be cared for by some young weed-puller, and the baby's cradle had to be rocked. In the evening, her mother, busy with her darning, would hear Mary Ellen's lessons and those of her brothers and sisters; while her father, who was the village lawyer, would spend long hours in his library, deep in Homer or Plato, or the works of some eminent historian. However, he was interested in his children's progress and delighted in being surprised by the recitation of a chapter of the Bible or a few lines of Virgil, that one of his youngsters might have committed to memory at the mother's thoughtful suggestion. Miss Chase's formal education was gained from a district school which housed all the grades in two rooms, and later in the academy, which served the surrounding villages. She continued her training in the University of Maine, and, after graduation, went West to teach and study. She is in New England now as Head of the English Department at Smith College.

In an autobiography of her youth, *Goodly Heritage*, Miss Chase describes the pious observance of holy days of her own family and of her neighbors. Religion was not merely a matter of going to church once in

a while. It was a regular weekly ritual, punctuated with devotional services during the week. The Sabbath began at sundown on Saturday and lasted until Phoebus had again drawn his golden chariot into the ocean. As little work as possible was undertaken; the dinner—the very antithesis of our Sunday chicken—was simply prepared from yesterday's left-overs.

Sunday was truly a day of rest and devotion.

In her writings, Miss Chase makes clear that such religious feeling gave our New England forbears an appreciation of the significant in life. They realized the importance of an education, but they did not put intellect before character. The author's father was an intelligent man. He loved the classics and passed this love on to his children, but he realized that their value was not supreme. A stern Puritanism, "the Puritanism that cannot die, the Puritanism that made New England what it is, and is destined to make America what it should be," the conviction of our own James Russell Lowell, still remained in his soul. He knew the Bible thoroughly and expected his children to learn and practice its precepts. Miss Chase numbers reading and study among the chief pleasures of her childhood, but in her writings she emphasizes the point that she was never allowed to spend her time with Shakespeare or Thackeray at the expense of her other duties. A brilliant man was fortunate, but he must not flaunt his knowledge before his neighbors. Rather must he use it to the advantage of all. In one of her essays, Miss Chase writes that she was brought up in the belief that the name of the great Greek philosopher was pronounced "So-krats," because of the ignorance of her teacher in the village school. Her father, then the chairman of the School Board and a Greek scholar of note, would not destroy the confidence of his children in their teacher by correcting the error. Not until Miss Chase entered her high school years did she learn the real pronunciation. Such an understanding of true values that the author's father reveals was ably reflected in his daughter.

Notwithstanding, a love of learning was to be commended. Home libraries contained the masterpieces of the centuries—the works of Homer, Plato, Virgil, Shakespeare, Milton, and Bunyan. In more than one essay, Miss Chase reveals her own reading habits, and her novels show the literary tastes of her contemporaries. The character, Mary Peters, was a lover of good books and studied them diligently with a sea-captain friend who was not dead to the language of Homer.

However, with these facts of the cultural side of New England life gleaned from the works of Mary Ellen Chase, we cannot stop. There is another strain that enriches the writings of New England authors. It is the sea-fearing tradition which is still alive today. Silas Crockett, another novel also by Miss Chase, shows the courage and fortitude in the face of hardships that our forbears possessed. Doubtless she drew the material for her work from the tales often related by her grandmother of her own days at sea in her husband's ship. This same grandmother, Goodly Heritage reveals to us, had tales to tell of her observances in foreign ports. Her travels broadened her outlook and gave her the realization that New England customs were not suited to every corner of the world. We can exult in the possession of a heritage that made our progenitors tolerant.

Such an inheritance—of a Puritanic character and a knowledge of

true values, of a love of learning, of a sea tradition with its banners of courage, and of an outlook broadened by experience in the world—which belongs to Mary Ellen Chase is also a part of Robert Tristram Coffin.

Mr. Coffin was born in Brunswick, Maine, in 1892. His boyhood was spent in and around Penobscot Bay on several farms which his father, at various times, owned. I will not dwell on his home life, for it was essentially the same as that of Miss Chase. His parents were fond of the classics and encouraged worthwhile reading tastes in their children. He received his education in his native town. After some time spent in France in the war and at Oxford University, where he held a Rhodes scholarship, he returned to America to teach at Wells College, New York. However, in 1934 he was appointed Pierce Professor of England at Bowdoin College, his Alma Mater, where he still resides.

In the book, *Lost Paradise*, an autobiography of the author's childhood, Mr. Coffin discloses a trait of New England character that the late Calvin Coolidge made familiar to us—reticence. When the boy, Peter, met his uncle after a long period of separation, there was little to be said. In the words of the gifted writer: "Uncle Thomas didn't say anything more. He just stood there and twinkled in his eyes. He wasn't the talking kind either . . . When they felt good, they didn't make any talk about it." Such relatives did not speak when there was no need for words. They did not spend their time in idle conversation. Surely this reserve is a noble inheritance.

Kennebec: Cradle of Americans, the story of the Maine countryside, told through the historic Kennebec River, reveals the frugality and independence of New Englanders. At the end of a season when money was low, wives scraped the wooden staves of the flour barrel and were sparing of other necessities which came from stores. Our ancestors were self-reliant; they would not depend upon the generosity of neighbor or shop-keeper. A dignified, simple, well-ordered life set up certain standards which did not include luxury or extravagance. Such thrift should be appreciated today.

In any discussion of Mr. Coffin's works, his Pulitzer Prize winning volume of poems, *Strange Holiness*, should not be omitted. The poems are simply expressed, with felicity of phrase as the dominant trait. The subjects are usually homely things with which Mr. Coffin was familiar in his childhood on the farm. His love of beauty is aptly illustrated in his description of an old pitcher of his mother's. He first paints it for us and then goes on to portray its deeper significance to him.

"But all that was a small, faint part
Of the forest in his heart
Those trees had always been beside him,
Those shy deer had always eyed him;
He could hear their slender feet
In behind his heart's quick beat
He would never get quite through
Those winding woods. It seemed he knew
Someone breathed behind the trees
Whose breath was the eternities."

The memory of this pitcher is indeed a rich heritage. Still, we must not stop with it. There is notable beauty and appreciation of trivial yet worthwhile things in another poem called "The Pines." The scene is laid behind a barn near a grove of stately pine trees. The poet, through the eyes of a boy of ten, sees a tremendous unity in all the beautiful things and feelings in his former surroundings, almost reverently and lovingly remembered.

"A duck's white feather like a flower On a pool left by a shower . . . The sudden smell of apples in October twilight from a bin."

The comprehension of simple beauty is a worthwhile power to pass on to us. Robert Tristram Coffin, chiefly the poet, has disclosed in his works the ties and emotions of the New England people. He glorifies the commonplace, relates the hopes and fears of a people living on the banks of a great river, or reveals the thoughts and values of a small boy equally well. Together these writers give us a true conception of our New England life from the glowing past to the equally vital present. And we can say sincerely with the prophet, "The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant places, yea, I have a goodly heritage."

Tonight marks the ending of four glorious years and at the same time represents a new period of achievement to come. Our noble heritage should give us courage to fulfill the ideals of our New England forefathers. Our motto, *Try, Trust, Triumph*, should be a challenge to face life's problem bravely. As did that illustrious class of 1863, so must we, the Class of 1938, exemplify the lessons of character taught here. And, as we part, may our love of our Alma Mater serve always as a bond between us and Wakefield. May her memory ever be an inspiration. "Esto perpetua—May it last forever."

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